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# SWEEPING ACTION BY S.C.A.P.

## Japan To Be Thrown Open To Businessmen

#### Present Quotas To Be Lifted

Tokyo, Jan. 23. SCAP is shortly expected to announce the lifting of all quotas on the number of businessmen allowed to enter Japan, stipulating that only two representatives of each firm will be per-

mitted at one time. Traders, pre-war investors and Service personnel will be allowed to stay 60 days at hotels and longer if space is available, and the Japanese Board of Trade has been instructed to aid in securing Japanese houses and offices if hotel rooms are not available.

No nal Basis

ton had re'sed no objections to

but there will be no security

check as cheretofore although

Special Stores

SCAP officials doubted that

dropping the quote would flood

Japan with businessmen since at

no time following the respening

of foreign trade on Aug. 15 has

the total quota of 400 been fill-

Nevertheless arrangements have

been made for the opening of

special everseas supplies stores

in Yokohama, Kobe and Osaka

Goods and services will be paid

for in a special script purchase-

able in an "accepted currency,"

m addition to one in Tokyo,

-United Press.

the original SCAP proposal.

Houses and billets, which will I be shipped to Japan after petrol be all tied on a flist come first stati as are opened, merve basis, will be those relinguished by SCAP reverting to the Japanese Government, Families of businessman will be allowed entry when a house residence is established. Cars may

# Chiangs **Ballot**

Shanghai, Jan. 23. Comparatively more local residents cast their votes yesterday than the -day before in the Legis-| lative Yuan elections, ed. according to the City authorities.

Apart from an incident at one ballotting booth in the Yangtsepoo district, everything went along smoothly. A policeman had to fire in the air in Yangtsenoo when a group of workers, not possessing indentification cards, attempted to secure ballots from the booth supervisor. The elections end Mrs. Brittain's Fate:

at noon today.

In Nanking, President and Madame Chiang Kai-shek cast their votes yesterday amid heavy rain. They ballotted behind a specially set-up screen. The appearance of China's first couple caught pressmen and photographers napping as the majority of these had given up their vigil and had gone elsewhere in the belie that the President and Madame Chiang would not vote because of the pouring rain.-Reuter.

#### TIGER MENACE IN AMOY AREA

Amoy, Jan. 23.

#### **NANKING** UNDER SNOWED

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Nanking, Jan. 23, The city was covered with six inches of snow today in what old residents said was the heaviest snowfall ever seen here. It was the second snowfall this winter.

#### Emergency coolle squads working incessantly since this morning cleared the streets of snow to ensure safe traffic.—United Press. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

#### SCAP is pondering on which petroleum companies should be Woman This mest sweeping action will put Japan's commerce on a "normal" basis, and is understood to have been taken after the Inter-Allied Trade Board in Washing-

London, Jan. 23. Mrs. Evelyn Walton, Applicants for entry into Japan must still apply to Washington who was reported SCAP retains that entry author (and robbed in Chiswick, was accused at Acton to- stop inflation and save the franc." day of robbing her em-

manded on bail. charge was stealing ing the sterling and franc areas, to £23.10. from Bruce Limited, save the sterling. chemists of High Road, Chis-

brunette, aged 28, lives Thernberry Road, Islaworth, in his meetings yesterday with the She was reported on Tuesday to French Cabinet and banking leaders, have been dragged into a car, rebbed and put out of the car on Great West Road,

less than a minute.—Reuter.

## Talks On New Franc

M. Robert Schuman, be Prime Minister, and Paris, Jan. 22. the Prime Minister, and M. Rene Mayer, Finance Minister, are "allowing COLL" speculation to develop,' the Communist newspaper L'Humanite said ago, the m.v. Government's protract- Navigation tion of the Franc.

"Never has the nation known that monetary operations were conducted in such a fashion."

L'Humanite baid. claimed that in view of recent happenings in Russia, the Communists had no right to criticise devaluation. been kidnapped adding: "The Communist Party is leading an active campaign against the financial measures destined to Usually well-informed but unofficial quarters said here last night injured. She was re- that Britain had offered France a far-reaching customs union, merg-

> The offer was said to have been made by Sir Edmund Hall-Patch. attractive head of the economic and financial in section of the British Foreign Office. after which the French Inner Cabinet held an emergency meeting. No

save the franc without endangering

statement was issued. Britain was reported to oppose to She appeared in court for any franc devaluation plan which next month. It has been repair- as industrialised as Holland, as would place sterling on an open ed in Bailey's Shipyard. market in Paris and undermine the world position of the British currency.-Reuter.

#### KOWLOON SCANDAL SEQUEL

Melbourne, Jan. 23. The Army Ministry announced today the restoration of allowances for Jananese defence counsel and interpreters living away from home while appearing in war crimes trials provided assurances are received that payments would be recoverable from the Japanese Government. - United

## Gordon Brittain, former Ameri-Enough

New York, Jan. 23. Nakahara said he returned to States Consul in Shanghai, Japan in 1938 and during the told the Commerce and Indusearly part of the war, worked try Association that a United as a radio monitor for Japanese States fund to stabilise Chinese currency would not provide a naval headquarters. In. early

"A wholesome currency solu-After the Tjisalak was tor- inflation is not a disease in itpedoed, he was ordered to the self, but the symptom of deepconning tower and was told to rooted basic economic diffitell the survivors to board the cultles, not unrelated to polisubmarine one by one. Their tical and military hindrances to hands were tied and they were normal business."

Mr. Hope said eliminating looked back after being sent to civil strife; rehabilitating the foredeck. The captain, radio transport and restoring the free operator, engineer, officer and flow of goods would solve the four other men and a woman problem .- United Press.

## C-IN-C PROMOTED

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Vice-Admiral Sir Denis W. Boyd, K.C.B., C.B.E., D.S.C., Commander - in -Chief, British Pacific Fleet, has been promoted to the rank of Admiral, to date from Jan. 21. Admiral Boyd took over command of the B.P.F. from Admiral Lord Fraser in the summer of 1946,

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Launched two "Kwei today, attacking the Shan" of the Kwangsi Company, ed negotiations with Bri- was involved in a collitain and the United sion in the Pearl River States over the devalua- delta on . Wednesday while en route from Hong Kong to Canton.

The collision occurred at about 5.50 a.m. when an unknown vessel, described as a schooner The Conservative France Libre crashed into the "Kwei Shan" amidship from a right angle will be applied as far as possi-

on the port side. One forward cabin was badly all products which can damaged but the ship was able manufacture domestically. to carry on to Canton under its own steam. It is returning to couraged and facilitated, and if Hong Kong today. No one was necessary, the Government will

to clear itself from the "Kwel by military necessity, may not Shan" and disappeared in the impose restrictions on cargoes darkness. The Chinese authori- in transit or levy special taxes. ties believe the craft to be a In Shanghai today, the econoamuggler's boat.

injured, is expected to be opera- countries as conservative

## ECONOMIC REFORM Nanking's Decision To Boost Exports

Nanking, Jan. 23. In a renewed bid to avert an unbalanced budget and conserve foreign exchange, the National Economic Council last night decided to bolster China's exports and continue the strict restrictions on imports as part of the programme embodied in the contemplated economic reform. The Council also discussed a possible change of the country's foreign exchange policy with some

members favouring the abolition of controls. Premier Chang Chun, how-small as Denmark and as big cver, suggested a postponement as Russia, then why not China. Roll A Prerequisite on such considerations as any change would entail far-reach-

ting raw materials, production productive enterprises. machinery and scientific ap-

#### Helping Exports

For the import of these essential items, a barter system this period. bit. Importation is forbidden of

Export trade will be en make purchases and ship them The unknown vessel managed abroad. Local authorities, except

mic expert, Professor Liu Ta The Kwangsi Navigation Chung, suggested revaluation Company's m.v. "Kwei Hai," of the Chinese currency as remined by Chinese pirates on cently introduced by the Soviet November 18 last with the loss Government He said that if curof more than 20 lives and 19 rency revaluation is practical in West Sussex. ting again by the beginning of Belgium, as Leftist as Russia, non-industrialised as Poland, as

A Prerequisite

ing consequences, which the form is a prerequisite to econo-Government was not ready to mic stability in China, Professor Llu suggested that the present The final decision is believed National currency be converted to be hinging on the amount of United States aid.

National currency be converted to a new paper currency at allding rates, say 10,000 to one The economic plan as ap- for wages, 100,000 to one for proved provided for continued cash and a rate between these restrictions on imports, excep- two for bank deposits held by

Conversion would have to be completed within the shortest possible time with a moratorium given to all banks and other financial institutions during Michael of Rumania for

All banks would have to cooperate with the Government abdication when they since the latter would have met at the railway stacomplete control of the new tion here today. currency.-Reuter-AAP.

#### Killer Dogs On Rampage Lewes, Jan. 23.

Killer dogs have terrorised flocks of sheep in

With the approach of the lambing season farmers have mounted armed guards over their flocks. Alf Saunders, Secretary of West Sussex branch of the National Farmers Union says: "most of the 23 percent cases of sheep killing, tween Worthing and Brighton. One Allman S Which have been reported, were belitter of dogs all turned out to be

Norsham and elsewhere." One of the farmers, Mrs. J.W. Passmore, Coombe Farm, Lancing, says: "We lost 20 sheep in one attack. Seven were killed and the rest had to be destroyed."-Reuter,

#### ATTEMPT ON **ARAB OFFICE** London, Jan. 23.

The Arab Office in London announced that a bomb had been found on its doorstep tonight. booby trap timed to exipde when Burnaby Road, Bournemouth, the door was opened. The to receive as beneficiary his police, who removed the bomb, £2,000 estate. The judge said even his proposed settlement placed a guard outside the that expression speken to in

> ed, all the staff had left except as referring to a previous will, the Director-General, Mr. Alami that too was entirely in favour

## SOAK THE RICH IN CHINA

Nanking, Jan. 23. -The State Council today resolved to impose a "relief special levy" on China's rich men to help in baluncing the budget.

"Relief special levy" is a change in name of the originally mooted capital levy. According to a Ministry of Finance report the People's Political Council levy is expected to yield CN\$10,-000,000,000,000 to the National treasury in the next six months,-United Press.

# Declaring the currency re-form is a prerequisite to econo-mic stability in China, Professor

Davos, Switzerland, Jan. 23.

Princess Anne Bourbon-Parma was reunited with former King the first time since his

Michael drove a jeep to the railway station to meet the Princess who was accompanied by her mother Princess Margrethe.

reunich climaxed two weeks of confusion and uncertainty as to the status of the romance which flowered when both went to London for the wedding of Princess Elizabeth. When his abdication was announced it was assumed ... that. one of the reasons was his desire for freedem to marry the women tof his choice.

Two weeks ago Princess Anne left Copenhagen, astensibly to go directly to Switzerland to meet Michael, but proceeded to Luxemburg insetad.-United Press.

# killers. This pack has now been run to earth, but there are cases in Norsham and elsewhere."

London Jan. 23. The day before he was killed on his seventeenth bombing flight over Germany, Squadron Leader Harold John Vincent Ashworth said, "I want Ella to have everything."

Mr. Justice Willmer in the probate court today found that this constituted a good "soldier's will" on active service and entitled his widow, Mrs. The bomb was in the form of Ellaline Mary Ashworth of evidence constituted a valid will When the bomb was discover- and if words were to be taken of the officer's widow.-Reuter.

## Naval Reduction "Unwise Step"

London, Jan. 23.

Mr. Winston Churchill, speaking in the House of Commons today, accused the Labour Government of unwisely, and improvidently destroying the nation's naval reserve at a time when it "will have an effect on our authority in our international discussions."

Referring to Wednesday's aned militarily or politically for war nouncement that five capital . General situations—The intense Siberian and the Japanese were. . ships would be scrapped, Mr. anti-cyclone continues to spread alowir "This set us back two years, but Churchill said. "I am surprised southwards over China. A ridge of high when we overtook the preparation that the depressing declaration pressure from the anti-crelone extends lag, we overrun the Japanese as they about the destruction of a large over northern Japan and is moving northnumber of our material reserves eastwards. A trough of low pressure of battleships should be announc- from the depression over Yunnan and ed, at about a time when the Tonkin extends along the south and south-Foreign Secretary was about to east China coast to a shallow depression make so serious and important a over the Eastern Bes which is moving prenouncement.

> and improvident a step will have humid. an effect on our authority in our international discussions."

He announced the Opposition Sunsbine: 3.0 bours,

slowly eastwards towards south Japan. Forecast :- Bright or moderate, south-"I have no doubt so unwise slonal light rain or drizzle. Warm and

Yesteriay's Weathers-Maximum: 69.7 det. Fah. Minimum : 63.0 der. Fah.

· \$0.7 mm. \$1.21 Ins. as against an average of #18.8 mm, == 0.98 fam. Rendings at

over to them."-United Press. Wind Force ..... 12 14 knows.

Tokyo, Jan. 23.

The American-born wife of a British flying officer marched bravely to her death calling "sayonara" (goodbye) to the crew of the notorious Japanese submarine 1-8 which, an eye-witness said, was carrying out orders to put all torpedoed ship survivors to death, except persons "of importance" wanted for interrogation.

Eye-Witness Story

closed that an American State incident occurred in 1944, has brought back as prisoner after | Nakahara's story ended the he told the Japanese he was an long search for Mrs. Verna Money "American Consul."

Nakahara, brought in as a can Red Cross workers, who

Witness Jiro Nakahara, 28, Chief of the Japanese Naval Hawaiian-born Nisci, also dis- General Staff at the time the Department employee was denied issuing such orders.

#### Air officials landing in Amoy surprise witness by the prosecu- was en route to Calcutta to Not were informed today that tigers tion, said the submarine Com- join her husband, Wing Comhave killed 20 peasants in re- mander told him Naval Head- mander Brittain of the R.A.F., cent months and killed more quarters ordered the execution when the Dutch steamer, Tjisathan 80 in the past year .- of all survivors. Defendant, ex- lak was sunk in the Indian Admiral Shigetaro Shimada, Ocean in March, 1944.

Devaluation Of The

Franc Approved Paris, Jan. 23. A Finance Ministry source said the International Monetary Fund in Washington announced its approval today of the. French Government's plan to devaluate the franc despite strong British objections.

The Cabinet met in a special | hoarded by thrifty session today. It announced in a peasants. communique afterwards that the meeting was held to inform based on the belief that es- they were questioned and one tablishment of a free money by one were led back to the TSINGTAO the IMF and to send final in- market in France would have back to the deck where they structions to the fiscal expert, an adverse effect on pound ster- were shot dead. — Associated FAMINE M. Pierre Mendes France, ling already quoted far below Press. France's representative to the its pegged valued on the Swiss

international group. Government sources indicated that free trading in gold is planned in an attempt to entice into Government coffers the millions of gold louis supposedly

Page Tero

Nurse's Story at Ito Trial. Page Three! Pisheries Subotago Alleged. Saladayana Today's . Races; Bradman

Astigat Again: Softball: Rugher.

Bourse. While admitting this possibicritical, France's or Britain's.

The British objections are were taken below decks where

lity French monetary authoritles simply said it would be up to the International Bank to Customs Officer was admitted daily between 5.30 p.m. and 9.30. The Bill provides for applica- Faulty equipment was blam-Only through devaluation, night.

CASTLE PEAK ACCIDENT

1-8 in the same capacity.

told they would be shot if they

# (See Page 2)

solution. 1944 he was forced to go aboard

kets last your .- United Pross. I to the Queen Mary Hospital | soon .- United Press. | Reuter.

## W • 1 1 Mr. Churchill

London, Jan. 23. Mr. Winston Churchill, speaking in the House of Commons today, said he agreed with Mr. Attlee that Soviet Communism "pursues a policy of imperialism in a new form which threatens. the welfare and the way of life of the nations of Europe."

He said the international have got the atom bomb too. situation had deteriorated in the You may be absolutely sure the last six months and warned present situation cannot last," "there seems to be very real he said. danger in going on drifting for He said in conclusion that

I "believe the best chance for with Russia would preventing war is to bring guarantee war will not come matters to a head and come to but it will give the best chance a settlement with the Soviet of preventing it, and if it came Government before it is too late. we should have the best chance This would imply that the West- of getting out of it alive." ern democracies, who seek unity The House cheered as Mr. among themselves at the earliest | Churchill concluded his 50moment, would take the initia- minute speech .- United Press. tive in asking the Soviet for a

vention of the atomic bomb had given the West a "breathing REACTION space" of three of four years tion must be found... Chinese and that two years had already

"I cannot believe that in any serious discussion it 'may necessary to have with the port of the Malayan campaign by Air Soviet Union it would be more Chief Marshal Sir Robert Brooke-

## Calling Up Of Women

London, Jan. 23. The text has been published | OUI KIEC of the Army and Air Force The coal shortage has be grants powers to commission Explosion come so acute that power will and enlist women for service in Bleeding profesely, a Chinese be supplied only four hours land and air forces.

decide whose need was more to the Queen Mary Hospital p.m. in the city, it was an tion to women of army and air ed for an explosion which toshortly after 10 o'clock last nounced today. force acts and adaption of a day killed four men of a blast would demand a full debate on Rathfall: Nil. Total saince Jan. .The announcement said that thousand other enactments to ing crew in a coment quarry, this step, and "other aspects of they point out, can France hope The man is believed to have if no coal arrives in a fort cover persons of either sex, but Their bodies were blown to bits, our Navy administration." to resume her export trade slow- been seriously injured in a night there will be no power at it is specifically provided that. A spokesman said an automa- Mr. Churchill said he hoped ed to a trickle by into nal in- traffic accident at Castle Peak. all. Four fiths of 1,500 fac- the Bill shall not render a wo- tic powder leading machine, British warships handed over to flation which jumped the prices He was brought to Hong Kong tories have ceased operations man liable to be called up for which feeds blasting powder her during the var "rather than Rel Humidity"..... 99. 91 % of French products nearly 100 and landed at Blake Pler, where because of the coal shortage service uniter the national ser- into the nearly 100 and landed at Blake Pler, where because of the Dev Point per cent on international mare a waiting ambulance took him and others will probably close vice acts of 1989 to 1947, parently exploded ahead of reduced Italian navy handed wind Direction.

# Mr. Churchill said the inter- ONE MAN'S

Melbourne, Jan. 23. General Sir Thomas Blamey, former Commander-In-Chief of the Australian military forces, commenting today on the newly-published relikely to reach a favourable con-East, said: "It is time we gave up clusion if we wait until they looking for scape-goats over Malaya."

"The fact is, we were not preparhad overrun us."-Reuter.

Colton, Calif., Jan. 28. time....United Press.

#### THE WEATHER anti-cyclone continues to spread alowis

Baro, at m.s.l. ., . . 1018.9 1011.0 m.h.



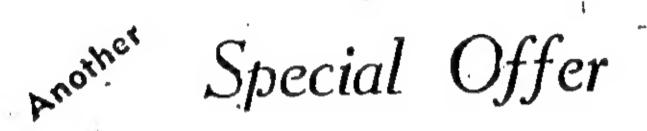


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At the annual general meeting of the C.B.S. Parente Asso-

ciation at the European YMCA

yesterday afternoon under the

chairmanship of Mrs. W. G.

Mrs. A. Boulton, Mrs. G. N.

Gawler, Mrs. G. A. Stewart, Mrs.

F. C. Clemo, Mrs. E. Goldman,

Mrg. W. G. Robertson, Mrs. I.G.

Sullivan, Mrs. Geary Gardiner,

Mrs. H. Sidbury and Mrs. A.

from the chair, Mr. W. G. Fer-

on work at the school, and expressed his thanks to the Asso-

ciation which, he said, had

he was unable to make any an-

nouncement until the result of

the Cambridge Exam was out.

The annual sports will be held

LAKE SUCCESS, JAN. 23.

THE PAKISTAN-INDIAN CON-

The situation "may necessitate

He said Pakistan forces might

Reminders

Today

Royal Naval Yard Conteen Buf-

Hang Road, 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Boys Scouts Association Bazaar,

Burns Dinner of H.K. St. An-

Maulond Sharlff" celebration of

China Philatelle Association Ex-

Coming Events

TOMORROW

"Khana". Celebration commemor-

MONDAY.

Northumberland and Dutham As-

ating birthday anniversary of

the Holy Prophet, Muslim

sociation meeting. BUM: Post Board Hosm O p.m.

Mosque, Shelly Street

birthday of Holy Prophet Muslim Mosque, Shelly

hibition, St. Francis Hotel.

Annual Race Meeting, Fourth

Day, Happy Valley, 12 noon.

H.K. Hotel, 8 p.m.

Street, 8 p.m.

p.m.

fet Dance, St. John's Ambul-

ance Brigade Hors. Toi

Murray Parade Ground, 2,30-

drew's Society, Roof Garden,

been most helpful to him.

In response to an invitation

Headmaster of the

| Ritchie.

on March 6.

Conflict

'Acute'

addition to flour

Bonus Issue

tory, returned a verdict of death

due to conflagration, with Mr.

F. X. d'Almada concurring.

A "leaky" electric switch in a cockloft, filled with joss paper, was believed to be instrumental in destroying 16 tenement apartments in Hollywood Road and killing a woman, a boy and three young girls on Christmas night.

This was revealed yesterday! Lam said that the switch in the at Central Magistracy at the cocklost was found two days into the disastrous before the incident to be blaze, involving several hundred "leaky" but never thinking would have caused such The jury, composed of one catastrophe, she did not bother woman, the third to appear at very much then. Central Magistracy in its his-

#### Not Insured

Her property was, not insured she added, saying also that no Lam Shul-yin (35-year-old body slept in the cockleft. married woman) tenant of No. Mr. H. Tiplady, Divisio 213 Hollywood Road, source of Officer of tho Hong Kong Fir the fire, told the Court that she Brigade, said that at 10.45 p.m. heard a neighbour telling about on Christmas night he received smoke rising from her back an alarm and went to Hollywood premises, as she was cating Road with two engines, to see cakes with five others outside two buildings already in flames the shop on the ground floor, which were so fierce that She went inside to investigate opposite stalls were set on fire and saw the cockloft on fire. Four fire fighters were sent to The fokis tried to extinguish the Queen Mary Hospital with It but in vain. The alarm was burns.

A general evacuation of The fire spread, very others in the opposite upartments was ordered and another alarm sent in.

He was informed by Police that as far as they knew no one had called for nid. Witness said that it was impossible for anyone to surrvive in the fire for more than a few seconds. A dog on a first floor verandah was roasted alive within a few

Within 30 minutes of his arrival, the doors and roofs had collapsed and the fire was only put under control at 11.45 p.m.

#### Escape Blocked

The buildings were old and he was of opinion as a result of inquiries that the fire was caused by a short circuit in the cockloft of No. 213, Hollywood Road. This, however, he said. could not be established as all evidence was destroyed.

Lau Tin, father and husband of two deceased, said he was sleeping in his quarters on the third floor when he heard cries of "save life," . He woke up and saw fire on the balcony and Robertson, the revised rules of kitchen of his room. He tried Salesian allesian in the Robertson, the revised rules of to save his wife and child, Lau St. Stephen's College. Hearing and the following officers election. Nul (5 months) through an will be resumed on Monday when the Defence Counsel will Robertson, the revised rules of kitchen of his room. He tried Salesian Mission, Lycemun and blocked by frantic people. He start cross-examination of

thwarted. was sent to hospital. He did not see his family and assumed C.B.S., addressed the meeting they must have been burned. officer of the Queen Mary Hospital, said that he examined In regard to the School's a boy of three who had a prize-giving, Mr. Ferguson said larceration on the scalp and was bleeding through the nose and cars. He had burns on both legs, and the thigh of one

> in the early morning hours of Dec. 26. Dr. Gould, Victoria Prison doctor, said he examined four charred bodies on Dec. 29. All were females and they had died from burns.

was fractured. The boy died

The deceased were Cheung (34) married woman, Lau Nui. (5). Lam Sau-chum (9) Cheng Chui-har (14), and Cheng San-kal (3).

#### KENNEDY TOWN MARKET CASE

The "China Mail" understands that three Chinese staff of the Kennedy Town wholesale market have been detained by the police. The men are expected to appear in court at Central Magistracy this morning.

#### FALSE ALARM measage received by the Fire

Brigade, shortly after 9 a.m. yesterday that a fire had broken out on board a vessel lying off Stonecutter's Island, resulted in No. 2 Fire Float being dispatched to the scene. On arrival at the area indicated, the message proved to be a false alarm. THE WHISKERS CLUB

While had been hoping that

Bnow the Crow would to

Roger of Josephy Jackdays Roger of Josephy Jackdays restirn. One monitor White fels very lonely and net-

The next there devel-

## Burma Envoy Here



Burma became an independent nation on Jan. 4, 1948, One of the first diplomatic posts abroad was given to British-educated U. Maung Myint Thein, O.B.B., M.A., L.L.B.

He arrived in Hong Kong on Wednesday en route to-Nanking to assume the post of Ambassador to China. Photo above, taken at Kai Tak, shows tleft to right); Mr. K. Y. Llang, representative of the Cidnese Special Commission, (Foreign Affairs) for Kwang-

tung-Kwangsi, U Maung Myint Thein, the Burmese Ambassador, Mise V. M. Braithwaite and Mr. William Norwood Collison, the latter being of the Hong Kong office of the International Refugee Organisation, Far East,-China Mall Photo.

# LOIS FEARON'S STORY OF BAYONETTING OF

December, 1941,

Dr. On Gunn Bee, medical the First Aid Post at the

bers of the St. John's Am- To Hong Kong bulance Brigade, V.N.S., Canad'an Army Medical Corps and R.A.M.C. She had under her charge a

European A.N.S. an Indian eight Chinese of St. John's Am-When the Japanese arrived

all in the Mission were ordered to be lined up in front of the building. The men and women G.W.E.J. Erskine, CB., DSO. were later separated. This was about 8 a.m. and they had just londed the wounded, Canadian soldiers and three Chinese civilians, when the Japanese came. There were no other patients in the post,

The Japanese stopped the truck and dumped the occupants out on the ground. The Canadians and

taken away to the hillside. She graffic accident which took place saw them bayonetted and those at Castle Peak near the 8th who tried to get away were shot. Milestone, Tsun Wan, at 4.30 Witness said that she, Mrs. p.m. on Monday, between a Tinson, Miss M. Suffaid and the motor lorry and a 15-cwt nurses together with Dr. Tsang chocolate coloured "Chevrolet" were then taken to the fort. fitted with a canopy, please in-

Witness stated that the First Aid Post had a large Red Cross llag on top of the building.

felt more frightened, Snow.

ger And in the background

cutside for nearly an hour.

That she saw Canadian troops and R.A.M.C. order- the necessary repairs in return English version of the agreement, lies bayonetted by the Japanese on a hillside use of the house at a monthly that it was different from that at Shaukiwan was stated in evidence by Miss rental of \$100. He was, further- made by his clerk. He applied Lois Fearon at yesterday's session of the trial more, entitled to collect the rents for a certified translation by an

of Lt.-Gen. Ito Takeo. Members of the Court, Coun- | The Nurses and St. John's ly. sel, interpreters and witnesses Ambulance men were in uni- Chan stated that the total cost spent the greater part of yester- form with Red Cross badges, of the repairs amounted to \$15,day visiting the scenes of atros Capt. Banfield, who was in 000;

cities committed by Japanese in charge of the military person- that, although a contracting by the defendants and asked to Today the court will visit the on them.

arm bands with Red Crosses nothing more to do with it as, citor. Instead, she kept it and being of the chinion that he is an instead, she kept it and

tried to escape through the next Major-General Tanaka. This by C.P.A. plane yesterday:- contractor, after having been of three years. He was to pay building but again was cross-examination and the re- Tien Tsin Pong, Lee Hsang shown the state of the building for the reconstruction of the preexamination is expected to take Suang, Ma Cheng Fong, Kuo prior to reconstruction, told him mises and to pay witness, \$1,200 Witness said that he up the greater part of Monday. Fei, Yeung Lun Sang. Hoo \$4,000.

fell into the street below and Miss Lois Fearon stated that Ping, T. H. Tchen, Gch Tze on Dec. 19, 1941, when the Seng (for Bangkok), Tia Kian should the figure of \$15,000 be by defence counsel, the docu-Japanese invaded the island, Jan. Yen Thian Hwa, Tan Bin accepted, then the total rental ment concluded. she was in charge of civilians at | Oon (for Singapore). Salesian Mission at Shaukiwan. C-In-C Coming

General Sir Neil Richie KCB., KBE., DSO., MC., Commander-

in-Chief Far East Land Forces and his Chief-in-Staff . Major norse, four Chinese nurse and General H. Redman CB., CBE., will be arriving in Hong Kong woman called Li Fong, who on Wednesday next to attend an claimed to be acting on behalf of is being conducted by the G.O.C. Kok Steer! Land Forces, Major General A number of officers from Singapore will also be attending as well as officers of the other two services.

#### CASTLE PEAK ACCIDENT

Will any person, who can R.A.M.C. personnel were later give information concerning a where they were made to wait form any Pelice Station.

#### SOVIET MISSION IN U.K.

der Seviet requirements under baste scale, laid down for all was clarified." the Anglo-Soviet trade agree- Japanese Surrendered personnel, ment .- Router.

Southampton Jan. 23. ment arrived at Southampton Icwance in Hong Kohg as ad-

# ARGUMENT ON RIGHTS OF A

The question of whether a derivative landlord, who allegedly expended \$15,000 on the repairs of a house in return for a three-years lease on the premises at a monthly rental of \$100, is entitled to include the capital outlay into his rent (payable to the landlord) when calculating the rentals chargeable against his subtenants was raised by Mr. A. S. C. Comber before Mr. W. A. Blair-Kerr at Kowloon yesterday.

Mr. Comber was appearing for | His quetation, he said, did not the defence of Chan King-hi and include wiring or plumbing. The Wan Kwok-man derivative land. costs of these two items, he eslords of 124 Yee Kuk Street, on thanted, should not exceed \$600 summonses of overcharging or \$700. of failing to give n if receipt to a sub-tenant, one of the Wing Fung Candy Store, affailing to give the sub-tenant firmed that he told a couple of written notice of rent payable, friends to approach Chan Kingand two of failing to affix notices hi at 93 Aplia Street, second of rent payable to the landlord. | floor, regarding the renting of tor C.T. Byron, Secretariat for Street. Chinese Affairs, that when he visited the second floor in Oct. 27 last he, found that the four sub-tenants were paying a total \$220 per month. This was paid of \$255 per month as rents. There and the upper floors compled was no notice affixed on the about 15 days after.

he visited the ground and first Yu, stated that she inherited the floors and found that the rents premists from her husband who paid were \$220 and \$251.50, re- | died in March, 1942. spectively. Again, in the case of the first floor, occupied by seven ony in Nov. 1946 she found the sub-tenants, there was no notice house looted of all wood-work. of principal rent affixed.

The total amount for the three defendant by a woman, Li Fing, floors was \$726,50. Receipts as the person who would repair were issued by Chan King-hi, the premises for her. said witness, who added that he | She signed a contract with was told at the Treasury that Wan under which she agreed to the assessment for the premises let him have the use of the house was \$706 for a period of ten for three years at a monthly months, or \$70 per month. In rental of \$100, provided he re-1941, it was \$500 for the same paired the building and made it period.

#### Agreement When interviewed by him in

the S.C.A., first defendant said she "bourowed" from second dethe owner of the house to effect for which he would be given the Mr. Comber informed the Court fr m the sub-tenants, and to interpreter in the S.C.A. This look after the premises general- was agreed to by both the Magis-

The second defendant wid him she was handed a piece of paper would not get any return on the A translation of the document money expended on the recon- read that it was a mistake on struction, he said his interests to the part of the sub-tenants to

In reply to Mr. Comber, wit- principal tenants. He was only The following passengers left ness declared that a building the agent for witness for a period that the work could be done for per annum. Witness would re-

He agreed with defence that, be explained to the Magistrate payable by defendants during Further hearing will take the three-year centract, would place at 2.15 p.m. on Feb. 5. pe \$6,200 per annum.

#### Included

Mr. Comber that, with the exception of the ground floor, rents paid by the sub-tenants were inclusive of water and electricity

Ng Hung, partner in a building contractors firm, declared that he was approached by a

He was prepared to undertake was counter-offered \$2,000 cdd. In riply to Mr. Comber, wit. to the scene. ness said that he had over 10 years experience in the trade. He had not done any reconstruction work on a three-storey building after the Re-occupation but had changed old-type wooden buildings into reinforced concrete

Tse Wah-cheong, partner of It was alleged by Drt.-Inspec- the ground floor of 124 Yee Kuk

#### Inherited

The rent agreed upon was

In her evidence, Kwan-Ng-shi On Nov. 12, sald Mr. Byron, allas Ng Sau, 41, widow of Kwan

When she returned to the Col-She was introduced to second

Innbitable.

No rent was paid to her, said witness, by Man. The only amount rectived was \$250 which

When Mr. Byron produced an trate and Mr. Byrin,

#### Document

Kwan stated that on Jan, 17

consider Chan King-hi as the quest that the misrepresentation

#### Mr. Byron further agreed with STAUNTON STREET EXCITEMENT

Staunton Street, in which a large presented an amusing sight shortly after 4 p.m. yesterday, as the inces-Isant hundreds of bareheaded Chinese nuns rushing into the street carrying blankers and items of wearing

Cause of the excitement was a chimney fire at No. 6 Staunton Street, which was extinguished without the job for \$4,000, he said, but difficulty. The Police Emergency Van alid two fire engines were rushed

#### POLICE PHONES

Notification has now been received rom the Police that their correct Telephone Numbers will be found in the last issue of the Telephone Directory and not in the new issue.

## STARVING JAPANESE VERSION

The following statement on the position of Japanese desence counsel and interpreters at the Australian war crimes court in Kowloon was issued by HQ Land Forces yesterday: "Japanese Defence Counsel and was intended as such. In con-

Court Interpreters are employed sequence, monthly advances with all War Crimes Courts. were suspended by the Austra-Contracts for their employment lian Court authorities in Hong are ertered into in Japan and Kong while the financial situathe Japanese Government ac- tion was clarified."

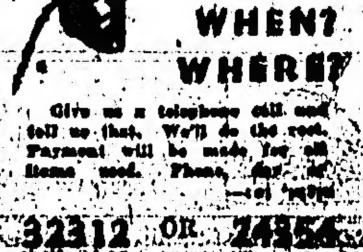
and there has been no failure in the issue of rations. - In addition a monthly allowance in cash, has been on issue by both British and Australian Courts."

"In December 1947, the Aus-After 21 years service in the trailen Army authorities queried the fact that the Japaness, em-Near and Far East, the First ployed by the Australian Court, Battalion Queen's Royal Regi- were being paid a monthly alhome. Roser was staring. The BDRATHNAVER from Kure.

At him in surprise and an brought home. Lots of Rich The monthly allowance paid to brought home a total of 8,500 Japanese Defence Counsel and norvice men and femilies Court Interpretors is not a sub-

Mr. Harold Wilson, President cepts full responsibility for pay- "As soon as the matter was of the Board of Trade, an ments under their contracts. A represented, temporary arrange nounced in the House of Com- Court Interpreters are employed Japanese Counsel cherating in the mons today that a Soviet pur- with both British and Australian Australian and British War chasing mission is expected to War Crimes Courts in Hing Crime Courts were on the same arrive in Britain shortly to or Kong. Rations are issued on a financial basis, until the matter





## ALLEGED SABOTAGE OF GOVERNMENTFISHERIES

## Quarrel Over A Tap

Ip Hing (34) and Chek Tip (17) are both employed by the same shop at 272 Lai Chi Kok Road.

On Thursday evening, they tap, but as neither would permit the other to have best use. a quarrel ensued

Ip the elder, got rattled over the "check" of the young tokl. but instead of cooling his opwater and poured

and the hift the of the chest, when Ip shood in the dock before Mr. W. A. Blair-Kerr yesterday charged with causing grievous bestily harm

The Madstrate warned delendant of the serious couse. quences which might have resulted from his rash act, and fined him \$150 or two months' hard labour,

#### Gold Case: Defendant Absent

Failur to appear at the Central Magnetimey yesterday afternoon, Wa Sun had his bail of \$100 catreat d by Mr. J. G. Conklin.

Defendant should have appeared on a charge of importing gold without a permit from the L. & E. department. The gold was brought into Hong Kong on bound the M. J. "Sang Tai Lee" on which defendant is the compradore. R. O. Humphrys discovered the 46 slabs of gold in a false side of the craft whilst making a routine search on its arrival from Macao The gold is Valued at \$800,000,2

the proscription.

Tishon, Jan. 22. King Leopold of Belgium, with his wife and family, left here on hoard the Sommelsdak today on his way to Havana, where he will spend a holiday .-- Reuter.



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## Licenced Dealers Appear In Court

Central Magistracy yesterday became a scene of unprecedented activity when what was described by Senior Police Superintendent F. W. W. Shaftain, OBE, as sabotage of the Government fisheries scheme came before Mr. F. X. d'Almada.

Imagination Lacking

"The Government entirely

"Of course, I must not men-

Defiance Of Law

Mr. Shaftian told the Court

Government had lost several

Mr. F.X. d'Almada said:

"The marketing scheme as set

lup by the Government is main-

INDIANS' BAD

LUCK

Touching on the Indian

Legacy Club luncheon today,

Don Bradman commented the

weather and the bad luck ex-

"The Australian Board of

perienced by the Indians,

also the tour finances.

appeared for the Police.

clamation Street.

ed the deceased from an un-

of pounds" .- Reuter.

cricket team's tour during

Adelaide, Jan. 23.

hundred thousand dollars.

Thirty-two licenced fish deal-was lawful and legal. They had ers were bauled in last Wednes- advanced \$2,000,000 in carryday by DSI J. Johnson, DSI V. ing on their pre-war business Morrison and PCD In Muk af- and the decision of the Fisheries Board took away their business ter p week's observation.

Seven were detained and 23 without even thinking of comon bails ranging from \$2,500 to pensation, said defence counsel. dorn, he took up a \$1,000. All were charged with' conspiring to sell salt water fish unlawfully. Two were discharged, and three, who pleaded' not guilty, were remanded for lacks imagination and sym-The incident was narrated by a week. The others were each pathy, and I hope somebody Sub Dispect of J. S. Rowarth final \$1,000 or three months' with sympathy can be found to come to an understanding to

Mr. Shaftain, prosecuting, veturn part of the \$2,000,000." said though he was asking for be added, "and safeguard their In serious view to be taken he business." would not press for imprisonment, because all defendants tion politics," said Mr. Russ. had volunteered to help the 'and it is extremely unlikely Police in the investigation of that a Conservative Government the "corrupt Government ser- would allow people to be treatvants! involved in this matter. ed so unconsciouably."

Outlining the case, he said Mr. A.S.K. Lau, defending that practically all the defen- Yuen Wai-kwan, pleaded guilty. Pants were members of the pre- Saying he could not add more war "Fish Lanns," After the to Mr. Russ's plea, he asked for bheration. The Government took a small fine, in the nature of a over and fish could only be sold warning. His client, Mr. Lau, through Gevernment auction. | added, would assist the Police

Three months after this in their screening of the "corchange, defendants resumed rupt Government servants" inbusiness, buying all salt water | volved. fish from fishing junks, to which they had lept \$1,500,000 for the business. This, defendants said, was the only way the practice had been going on to get back their money, for nearly two years and the

#### Bribery Necessary

To continue their business smoothly, Mr. Shaftian said, it was necessary to bribe Government servants and the accounts by, if I can recollect, to have a on the booklets revealed \$9,000 control over fish and vegetables were spent monthly on this in the colony. "squeeze." The "Hop Yick "The scheme was set up for Tong" had tallymen at the the purpose of defeating the Money from this "duty" went revenue.

to the "Squeeze Department," Mr. Shaftian said that the bers of the Fish Lanns have D.B. Cheung of Kwong Tai, cents (30 cents each.) 70 piculs daily, and eight per ing by way of lonns to fisher- was fined \$200 for selling a tin Yuen Street West, was fined Novembercent from the auction proceeds, men, but the fact remains that of Nestle's malted milk at \$25 for selling half a pound of They will take three plays-But on January 22, he pointed the scheme set up by them goes \$2.50 (\$2.20). out, 290 piculs were collected. further than the mere defeat of | Lee Ying of Cheong Lee, 395, The average collection would be the Government scheme. It is Queen's Road West, was fined from 300 to 320 piculs. Gov- so done in defiance to the \$100 for selling a cake ernment thus lost about \$3,000 law." daily.

Fines within the amount of bail would be appropriate. Mr. Shaftian concluded, to serve as a warning to others.

Mr. C.A.S. Russ, defending 11 of the defendants, pleaded guilty. He requested a small fine on the ground that defendants would assist Police in dealing with the "corrupt Government servants."

"It is appailing to see Government depriving people of their right and vested interests," Mr. Russ said. Defendants were Control had asked the Indians Market. 17, Gage Street, was ed that he admitted to being a carrying on a practice which

# Persistent

Lau Mui, 30-year-old prostitute, was banished for ten years on Jan. 8. At 2.20 a.m. yester-day she was "picked up" by Inspector T. Collins at Nathan Road near Ningpo Street. Charged before Mr. W. H.

Latimer later in the morning with causing an obstruction by loitering and with returning from banishment, accused was sentenced to six months' hard labour and recommended for re-deportation.

Two other prostitutes. Wong Ying (30) and Tseung Slu-fong (35), were sentenced to one menth's hard labour and recommended for banishment when they admitted the charge Nathan Road near Jordan Roadi

tor T. Collins, said Inspector Ji Orem, at 10.35 a.m. on Jan. 22. Both had two previous convic-

# King's Abdication



Dr. Petru Groza, Rumanian Prime Minister, is seen reading the abdication act to King Michael at Bucharest. The King abdicated because conditions in Rumania do not allow of a monarchical constitution. Following the King's abdication, Rumania was proclaimed a popular republic.-(A.P. Photo).

## PROFITEERS TELL THE SAME OLD STORY

The same tale of ignorance and of a foki's fault was the plea of 11 profiteers, brought up before Mr. F. X. d'Almada at Central Magistracy by Mr. P. G. Pitman of the Price Control Section.

The alternative of one month's ! Chow Chi-kuen, of Stall No. Mr. E. H. Sainsbury was for various landing places at Aber. system set up for the control of closure or \$500 was given to 10, Mercier Street, was fined deen and Cheung Chau, who fish as in this case and the Kwan Kim Sing, of Pak Wai \$50 for selling half a pound of collected fish, paying 75 cents system goes further-and has Medicine Company (323, knitting at \$9.56 (\$8.50). per basket and \$1.50 per tub. defrauded the Government of Queen's Road Central) for sell- Chau Pin of Stall No. 2, ing one 30 cc Calci-Ostelin at Aberdeen Street, was fined \$30 and Vivien Leigh leave England "It is regretted that the mem- | \$14.50 (\$13.60).

knifting wool at \$9.50 (\$8.50).

Cashmere Bouquet soap at \$1.40 (85 cents), +

Wong Hon of On Kee, 60 Des Vocux Road Central, was fined \$75 for selling a cake of Cash- Ishee, was sentenced to 12 mere Bouquet soap at \$1.30 months' hard labour and re-(85 cents).

Ny Sau Ki of Wong Wo, 174, by Mr. W. H. Latimer at Kow-toon yesterday when he pleaded Hennessev Road, was fined \$75 guilty to having returned from for selling a cake of Majestic banishment, soap at \$1.00 (80 cents).

Queen's Road, West, was fined cd's changed plea of not guilty \$75 for selling a bottle of Bonox to the count of being a member at \$1.30 (\$1.15). Ma Yin of Kun Kee Noodle Court on Thursday it was stat-

to cover the wickets at my in- fined \$50 for selling a catty of member of that society. In the stigation," Don Bradman said, plain noodles at 70 cents (60 dock he denied having made "lecause I thought wet wickets cents). would affect their chances and Yeung Sap of Pitch No. 1, was remanded for 24 hours.

was a very sick man then. Af-

When asked by his wife what

stated, replied that he fell down

Li Yuen Street, West, was fined "They refused and this has \$350 fed selling half a pound! probbaly cost them thousands of knitting wool at \$10.00 ] (\$8.50)

#### "Inspector J. Orem informed Tam Wai of Luca Wah, 588, the Court that the prosecution was prepared to accept accus-

of the Lun Ying Triad Society. such an admission and the case

Cheong Shing, 24, a life ban-

## RADIO

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(Barltonu). 1.15 p.m .- News, Weather Report an Announcements. 1.25 p.m .- Interlude. 1.80 p.m .-- Htudio: Andy Hidalgo and

2.00 p.m .- Close Down. 6.00 p.m. B.B.C. Transcription Services "Much Bluding in the Marsh", 6.30 p.m.-A Light Orchestral Programme and Winnie Melville (So-

His Orchestra.

práno).

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7.00 p.m .- London Relayt World and

"The Pain". A Story from the Little Karoo (South Africa) by Pauline Smith. 9.00 p.m.-London Relayt News. 9.10 pim.-Weether Report. 9.11 p.m.-interlude.

9.15 p.m.-Studio: "Now to run Brains Trust" by Donald McCullough (B.B.C. Brains Trust Quis Master).

0.30 p.m. B.B.C. Transcription Bervices "Paul Temple and The Gregory Affair". By Francis Durbridge. 10.00 p.m .- London Relay: Radio News warrant his reporting the matter 1040 bin 114 Cabaret and Dance Music.

## Illegal Radio Charge

"I heard 'no noise and they were seldom in the cubicle. Evan when they were they had the door locked so that I could not see inside. How was I to know they were operating an illegal radio transmitting and receiving set?" asked Pun Wan Yuk when she appeared at the Central Magistreny yesterday on a charge of allowing radio communications to be operated on her premises.

Appearing at the same time were Chan Kam Wan and Wan Kam Ching. Chair was charged with using a radio transmit ter without a licence and being in possession of a radio transmitter without a licence,

Wong was charged with maintaining an unlicenced radio communication set.

Chan admitted Soth charges but said that it was not his set. He was employed only three emerged amazing examples days ago by a man who had since left for Canton, Wong denied the charge,

The case was adjourned until today at this stage owing to the space of 5 years there had absence of a radio expert to give evidence.

## He Couldn't Explain

Au Shing alias Au Wong, 46, will be given free passage back to his native county of Po On after he has served three months hard labour in Stanley

"free trip" was recommended by Magistrate Bluir-Kerr at Kowloon yesterday when Au, with two previous convictions for larceny, was convicted on the charge of loitering with intent. Sub-Inspector J. S. Howarth

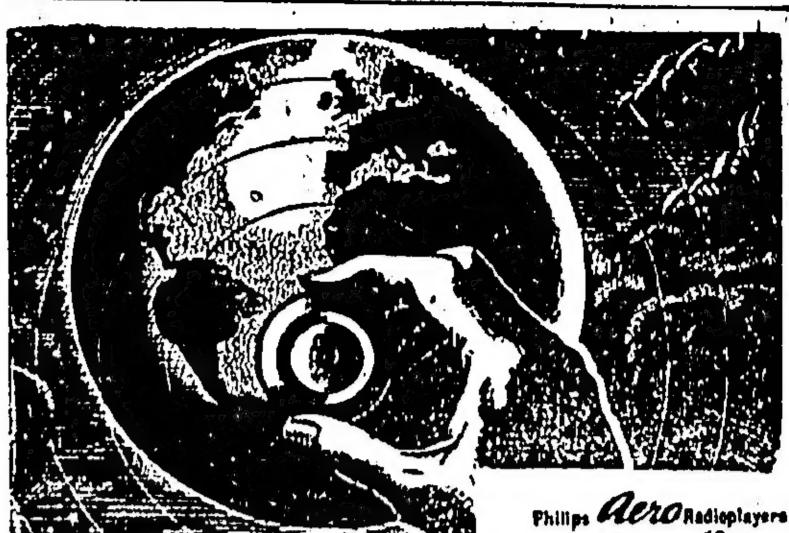
told the Court that defendant was arrested by Det.-Sgr. 622 at Sai Tau Village, Kowigon City, at 11.45 p.m. on Jan. 21, when he was unable to give a satisfactory explanation of why he was there.

Mr. Blair-Kerr sentenced Au to three months' hard labour and recommended that he -be light and banished.

#### THEATRE TOUR

London, Jan. 23. The Old Vic Theatre Company with Sir Laurence Olivier for selling two apples at 80 on February 14 to tour Australia and New Zealand, and will Government only receives about such a large amount outstand- 94, Des Voeux Road, Central, Ho Yuk Tong of Stall 66, Li be away until the end of

Richard III, Skin of our teeth, and School for Scandal .-- Reu-



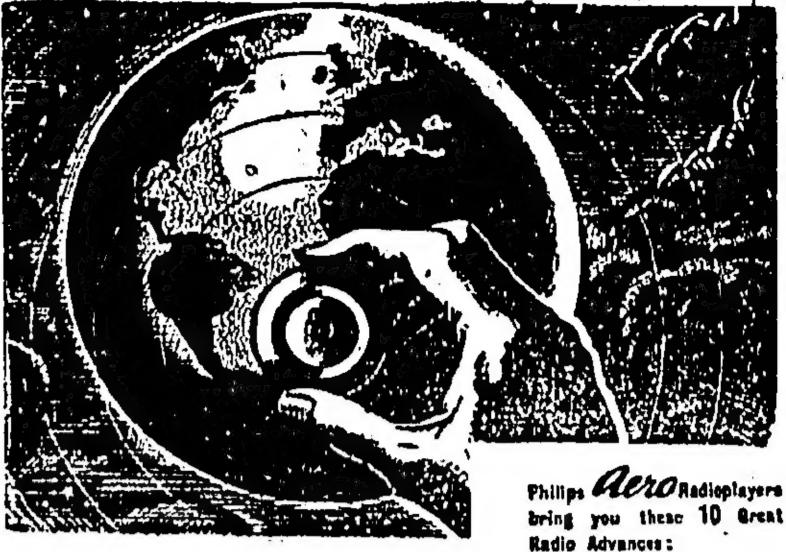
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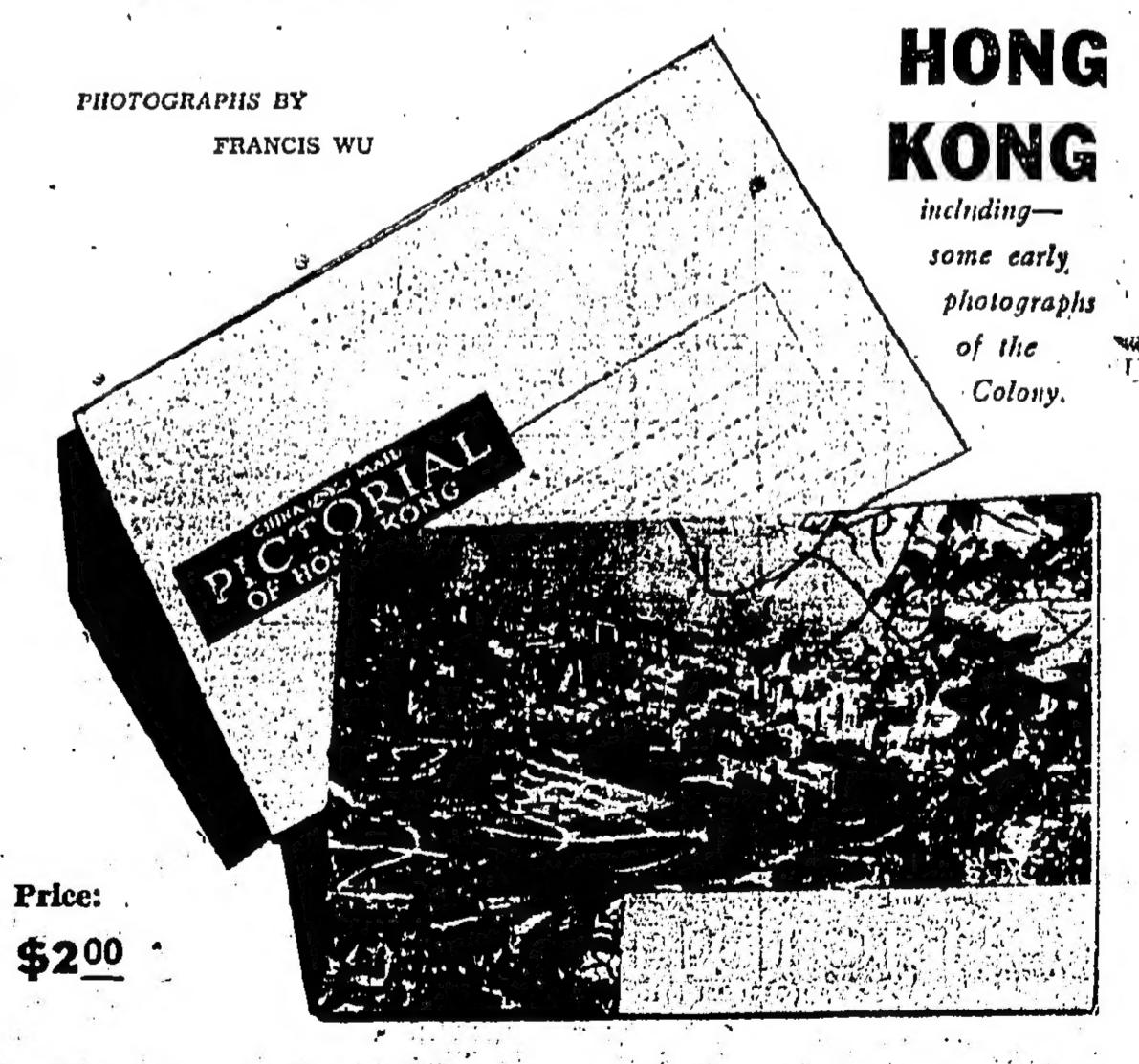
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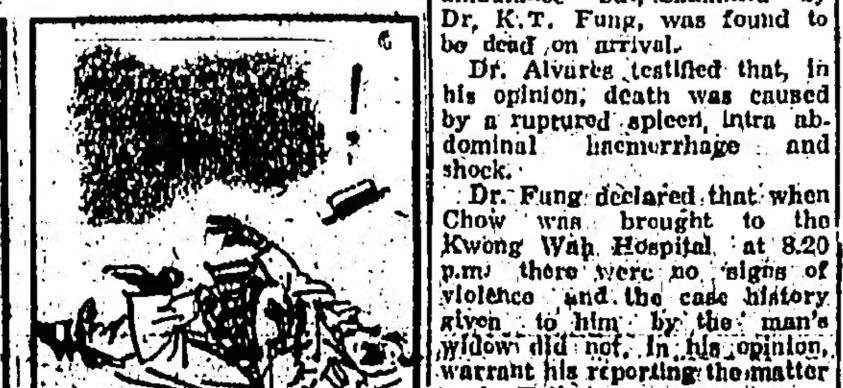
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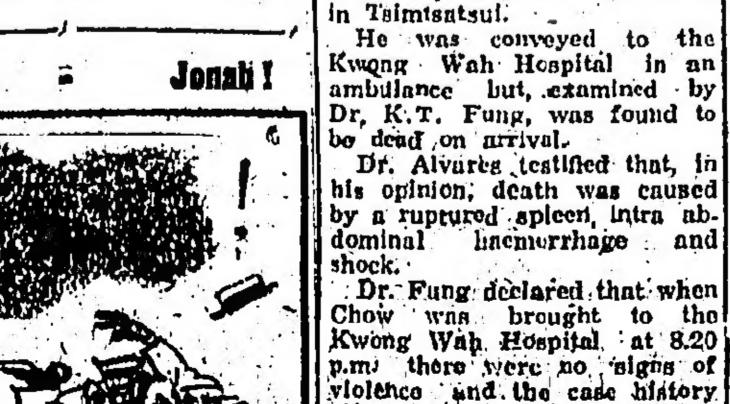
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Chi-yuen, 57, merchant, late of 466 Reclama-

tion Street, first floor, who died on the way

to the Kwong Wah Hospital on Nov. 15 last.

Det. Sub-Inspector J.R. Sykes ? Chow, according to evidence,

It was stated that at 7.30 ter the man had been lifted off

p.m. on Nev. 15 last the driver the car, with the help of the

of a car (neither of which could wife, the criver drove away in

known spot to outside 466 Re- the matter was, Chow, it was

be located by the Police convey- the direction of Shamshulpo.

A verdict of "Death by misadventure" was return-

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> V. WALKER, Acting General Manager,

21st January, 1948,

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(Signed) R. B. GOODWIN. Closure Officer.

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## NEW INDONESIAN SNAGS Good Offices Committee Asked To Return

## Clarification Dispute

Batavia, Jan. 22. Members of the United Nations Security Council's good offices committee should return to Batavia to clarify the differences which have arisen over interpretation of the six principles accepted by the Dutch and the Indonesians on Monday, Dutch sources said today.

The Dutch Government has asked for clarification since "it now appear that the Indonesians accepted the six-point plan conditionally on Lifting Ban one-sided interpretations."

Forecasts that the present, fence, finance and foreign re-Republican Government may lations .- Reuter. fall it the Prime Minister, Dr. Amur, Sparifuddin, is forced to PING at HONG KONG within Alld in the new crisis over the Republic's status were made to be about "clarification" of the peniance of this advertisement, day by well-informed Republia can sources.

> -Until this matter is cleared up, meetings of several subcommittees, due to begin work tomorrow on a substantive poditical settlement for Indonesia. have been postponed.

The first of the six principles raid that Netherlands sovereignty would remain in In-TRAMWAYS LIMITED donesia until transferred to a sovereign United States NOTICE TO MONTHLY Indonesia. in which the Republic would accept State status.

A Republican spekesman, the Republican delegation however, chained yesterday clarification of the six points." ing dates at the places specified. I that the minutes of a meeting between the Republicans and the good offices committee at Joriakarta, the Republican l capital of Java, said the existing status would continue until something to the contrary was agreed upon by both parties,

> The Republicans also contended that they should continue to conduct their own de- last night and was being closely ex-

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ruled that Princess Elizabeth and Prince Philip each penses.-United Press.

# On Tourist

Dutch disagreement was believed committee's principles given at meeting last week with the donesians at Jogjakarta, Republican The Dutch had not seen clarification when both parties lies cepted the plan on Monday, The Dutch Minister of Oversen Territories, Mr. J. A. Jonkman, tol the Dutch Parliament today The Notherlands Government sidered itself bound only by the six

committee, a Renter message from The Hague reported. He said the Durch delegation had so informed the committee on Tuesday and added that the Dutch delegation "naturally reserved rights with regard to the views of

#### Six Principles

Dutch Attitude

capital of Java.

Mr. Jonkman said an explanation was expected "very shortly." Remer despatches from Batavia today said the Republicans had accepted the six principles on Monday "subject to the minutes" of logjakarta meeting. An approved version of the minutes was handed to the Dutch

amined today. The first of the six principles noted :

accept State status. A Republican spokesman Batavia todav claimed that minutes of the Jogjakarts meeting! meant that the existing status of the Republic was not compromised this principle and would continue until something to the contrary was agreed upon by both parties .- Reuter.

## All concerned are hereby instructions to sell by Public Secret Kept For Peace

Columbia, Jan. 23. Secretary of State Marshall Gets Favour said here to-day that the book disclosing the secret agreements between Soviet Russia and Nazi Germany was ready for release before the London big four conference in December, but was 20 BALES EACH CONTAIN- | held up because "we were try-Marshall, here for visit with would ignore it.

friends, made the statement in an interview. He would not comment on the ments on American Soviet re-

lations .- Associated Press.

#### Elizabeth's Income Tax

The British Treasury has will pay income tax on only \$2,000 of the money they get from the country. The remainder is understood to have been classed as ex-

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# Travel

During a speech in the House of Commons, Mr. Ernest Bevin, announced the relaxation of the ban on tourist travel. He hop- nouncement of the Tripoli field's Japanese statement (and you ed in the early summer to pro- reopening as "the latest manifes- personally must have had exvide arrangements without in- tation of the American pro- perience of the Japanese vervolving us in expenditure of gramme of interference in the ston of truth), it merely means geld and dollars. He hoped to publish in March a list of countries in which travel would be possible. points drawn up by the good offices.

about May 1.

He was anxious to create conditions in which the peoples Duroches f countries could associate and he knew of no better way of serving that end than by tourdren #25 yearly Travel is no Brooklyn baseball manager. longer the privilege of a few." -- Reuter,

## Air Freight Confiscated

Auckland, Jan. 23. The Tasman Empire Airways that Netherlands sovereignty would Limited stated here today that six remain in Indonesia until transferred consignments of goods flown from to a sovereign United States of In South Africa and intended for donesia in which the Republic would New Zealand had been confiscated under a new prohibition orderin Hissued by the Indian and Pakistan

the leastoms, authorities, Under the new order, air cargo ter." passing to or from South Africa is I | being | confiscated.

between New Zealand and South ed Press. Africa.—Reuter.

The Congress of against a third political party.

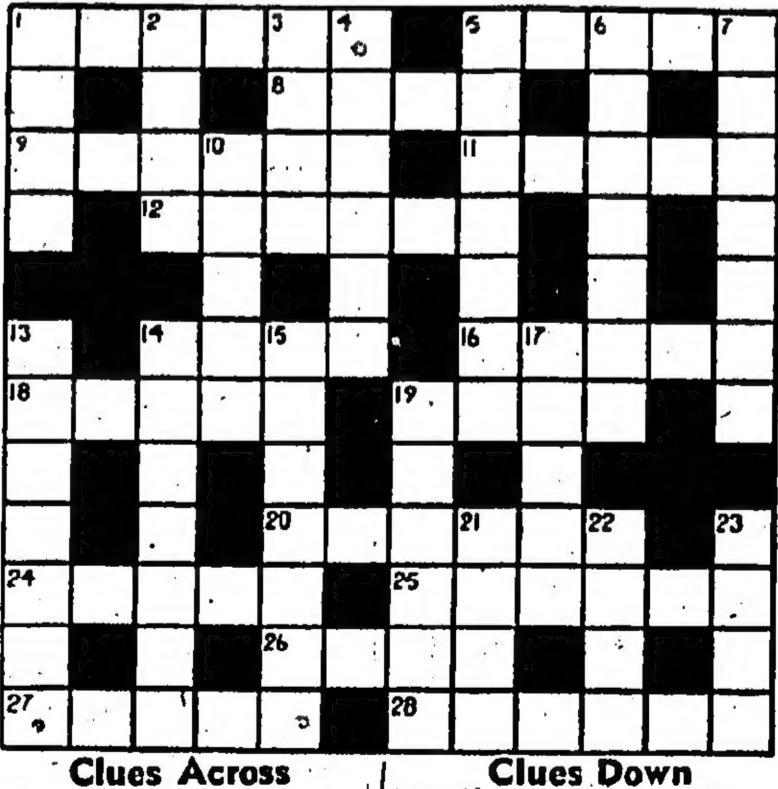
promptly served notice that they eight hours of stormy debate that a third party was "politically un-wise" and would weaken rather effect of the published docu- than strengthen the CIO's chances

# Wallace No

Washington, Jan. 23. Industrial Organization (CIO) Executive Board today voted 33-11 to put the labour organization on record Left Wing union leaders

The Board determined after of electing a "Progressive Con-

# gress."—UP.



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dle, 32 Rievannessans / Jan 26 Dirms, 28-Cell.

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14 Love affair.

15 Navigation

17 Competitor.

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honour.

22 Hard outer

covering.

23 Very old.

21 Cultivate.

#### American Air Base In Tripoli

Wiesbaden, Jan. 23. US Air Force Commander Europe, said today that the US airfield at Tripoli is being opened only as a service stop for defence and interpreters were knows of no plans for reopening pleas under duress to the Japmy other US airfields in the anese.

Mediterranean area. Tripoli is being revived as an tion that though these are un-Air Transport Command station to mentionables there must be a tacilitate aerial supply to US certain noblesse oblige. missions in Greece and Turkey and the small detuchment at

Dhahran in Saudi Arabia, Libya near the south coast of the route from the Azores to the gloves on. Middle East and is capable co

acrvice stops. offairs of Mediterranean and Mid that the Australians are themdle East countries,"-Associated selves applying the philosophy

# Travel should be resumed by At Last Mrs.

Hollywood, Jan. 23, Film actress Laraine Day, who ist traffic. "We are not merely is Mrs Leo Durocher everywhere) except in California, received her of the King. catering for people with lots final divorce decree from her of money," he said. "Adults former husband Ray Hendricks, could stand where our boys will be allowed £35 and chil- and is now free to remarry the stood,

> cutory decree a year ago and the evidence of Hainan and the within less than 24 hours married stories of the capture of Hong the baseball manager of Bracklyn Dodgers in El Paso, Texas. Upon her return to Call- sword. fornin, the State did not recognize her marriage as valid.—United Press.

#### OIL RATIONING

Washington, Jan. 23. Secretary of the Interior Julius Krug told Congress today: "It Kong. looks quite likely that we will

Testifying before the House tion Foreign Affairs Committee, he war has ceased to be a gen-The only air route between said it was too late to do anything tleman's past-time. It should. Australia and South Africa about rationing this winter. The I imagine be stated openly that operates through airports in either | US is using at least 10 per cent. Australians starve their prison-India or Pakistan and the order more petroleum today than the ers. prohibits the passage of cargo wartime maximum use.—Associat-)

## Readers' Letters

in eager anger than in sorrow. I make no apologies for the ways of troops, or of the campfollowers of troops, for there are all men in all armies. But in my respect of Australia, I must resent the headline which appeared in your paper

yesterday. It reads:-SCANDAL AT KOWLOON WAR CRIMES TRIAL

The context was mainly composed of a faintly commentated Lieut. General Curtis E. Lemay, statement by the Japanese defence and interpreters. Strangely enough, no referre- ence was made to how Allied

> There seems to be an implica-"Noblesse Oblige" was something extremely

when knights were bold and The field, liented in Northers Indies cold (conventionally). But the last war was fought Mediterranean, lies on a direc las Hitler fought it, with no

And there were no swords left accommodating large planes of on Sam Brownes to be dedicat-Moscow radio greeted the and if there is any truth in the

> which the Japanese themselves applied. It was "One in, all dn." I personally had the experience of viewing the portion of

> Kowloon where the Australian

War Crimes Court is held. I asked one of the prosecution why they held it in such drab surrounding a weather board hut, a few uncelled beams, two flags and a photo He said: "We thought they

It may not be all the majesty Miss Day obtained an interlo- of justice. But if you look at the Kong, 1 think there might be some close connection with the age-old philosophy of the

> "An eye for an eye, and a tooth for a cooth. If this is a scandal, then let appeasement thrive. Australian doctors and commanders stood half starved to defend their men from the some brutalities as you have

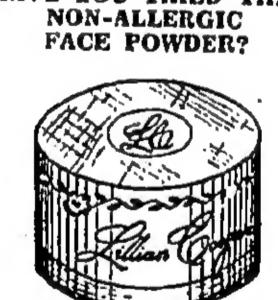
In my mind the defenders of those who committed those have to ration fuel oil next win- brutalities in a common justice should stand in the same posi-

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## TWENTY-THREE Bitter Feud Continues In Palestine

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Jerusalem, Jan. 22. Arabs today pulled seven Jewish special policemen from a truck at Yazur, stabbed and beat them to death, dragged their bodies through the streets and threw them into an orange grove. It was one of the most vicious attacks since the partition of the Holy Land was decided on.

The Jews killed three Arabs

before being overwhelmed, An-

other Jews was killed and three wounded when Arabs attacked

a Tel-Aviv-bound convoy seven

attacked three Poles and killed

Jewish defence army, Haganah,

others seriously wounded by

23 Dead

ported killed in a flare-up on

Palestine,—Reuter

BEEF EXPORTS

Queensland produced a record

year will come from Queensland,

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Melbourne, Jan. 22.

An Arab was killed and two

'In all-Jewish Tel-Aviv, Jews

miles from Jerusalem.

tried to arrest them.

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fore they starved,

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United Press.

## Russia's Worldwide Campaign

Washington, Jan. 22. William J. Donovan, head of the wartime Office of Strategie Services, testified today before i the Senate Committee that Rus-Fin has hunched a worldwide Aviv. Another Jewish convoy leading article today on the sign- Kasteria. thened Marshall plan.

Donovan said the Russians have established a world network keyed to "the saboteur, traitor and hidden enemy."

Donovan added that a "shooting war" with Russia is not inevitable but the Soviets have already gained "great success" by exploiting misery and hun-

"There is a phase of war Palestine, but only to prepare the Far East," other than shooting, , and this bases for bigger action to folwar is in progress. It is being low. waged by Russia but not by the Red Army. It is being waged by the Communist Party of Russia and fifth columns throughout the world,"-United

#### SOVIET TRADE AGREEMENT

Moscow, Jan. 22, Russia has signed a trade agreement with Belgium, the Netherlands and Luxembourg, calling for exchanges of goods, according to a Belgian source today.

The agreement, said to be the largest deal the Soviet has made outside Eastern Europe since the war, was concluded after nearly eight weeks of negotiations in Moscow between Soviet trade officials and a delegation from the lowland nations.—United Press.

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# Conference

Nanking, Jan. 23.

A military and political conference reviewing the overall situation prevailing in the country at present will be called by President Chiang Kai-shek carly in February 11 February, it was learned here today.

The conference will be at-tended by all the directors of the President's headquarters in China and other military leaders.-Reuter.

# Britain's one. The Poles were suspected of being Arab spies. A mob attacked the Poles as the

snipers between Jaffa and Tel-"subversive war" which must was ambushed near Jerusalem, ing of the agreements between be counteracted with a streng- but there was no immediate re- the Malay Sultans and the British Government, establishing

Twenty-four Arabs, gnoled Federation of Malaya, said: "We betteve history will record tions and food, on charges of having illegal that Britain has gained more than I arms, announced that they she has lost as she did in freeing parrested in Larissa, police anwould "fast to death" unless India and Burma. "Britain should gain a goodwill

the British released them bethat 'should be far more important Persistent reports in Beirut, in the years ahead than any poli-Lebanon, said that thousands of Might be able to hold briefly by Arabs from Syria and the field of economic advantage she might be able to hold briefly by Arabs from Syria and the force against the tide of nation-Lebanen had filtered into alism that is now flowing through

The "New York Times" added which had given Malaya a higher day predicted that the Navy of rate of literacy than the most of the future would fire heavy Asia, should make a solution of the Federation's problems easier, of its ships, Twenty-three people-eight -Reuter. Jews and 15 Arabs were re-

## the main Jerusalem to Tel Race Ruling In Twelve Arabs were killed oklahoma when Jews ambushed an Arab

bus near the spot where the Norman, Oklahoma, Jan. 22. Arabs attacked the Jewish must either admit Ada Lios Sipuel A Jewish convoy, travelling Fisher, 23-year-old negro, to its from Jerusalem to Tel Aviv, School of Law until a separate navigable waters." - United was ambushed outside Jerusa- negro law-school can be estab- Press, lem, and Jewish sources report-ed one Jew killed and a Jewess Judge Justin Hinshaw ruled to-

intelligence service of Judge Hinshaw gave his ruling Haganah was quoted by a after the United States Supreme Jewish Agency spokesman at a Court ordered the State to pro-press conference in Jerusalem vide equal and immediate educa-today for reports that 500 armtoday for reports that 500 arm- sought unsuccessfully to enrol in ed Lebanese and 600 Syrians 11946.

had "infiltrated" across the Mixed classes are prohibited by northern Palestine frontier and the Oklahoma State Constitution. have joined the Arab irregular |- Associated Press.

## of the Jewish Agency's Poli- Bee Expert tine by air today for the United States on a mission to mobiliso Apposituate

Lendon, Jan. 22. bilise American Jewry and to George Bennett, retired Mit seek all possible aid for Zioncham Surrey postman, who claimed to have cured himself of rheumatism over 25 years ago by letting his bees sting! him, died today aged 95.

He claimed to be England's oldest bee keeper and was always called by the police to of more than 100,000 tons of beef collect swarms from any pubworth about £5,500,000 during lic place. While boxing a 1947, of which nearly 90,000 tons were exported. Three-fourths of last Summer he slipped on the Australia's beef exports this table on wich he was standing! and disturbed the bees. "But but the full impact of the 1946 drought will cripple exports in the not one of them stung me," he said.—Reuter.

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> Seventy "Communista" were nounced .- Associated Press.

Washington, Jan. 22. that enlightened English rule, chief of Naval Operations, to-

of the carrier Midway had proved that this could be done. "The relatively short range of the guided missile becomes a trans-occeanie missile when launched from a ship," Adm Denfeld said. "If in the future our ships are able to use these weapons in quantity, the effect

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lish a civic centre there.-Reu-



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# General Offensive Greece

Athens, Jan. 22, A "general offensive" was reported under way today in Northern Greece with elements of six divisions attacking the guerillas.

area, 60 miles northwest of Salonika, and eight miles south of the Yugoslav border, were reported overrun after several A number who had been forcibly recruited were reported to have surrendered.

Guerilla losses were described as "considerable" and they were "crushed". Scores of caves were found containing arms ammuni-

Admiral Louis E. Denfeld. guided missiles from the decks

He said firings from the deck

will be felt at any point in

## CIVIC CENTRE

Windsor, Jan. 22. Windsor Borough Council wants the War Office to derequisition the Imperial Service College, which is now being used as an A.T.S. Officer cadet training unit.

The Council hopes to estab-



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#### WAGES AND PRICES

As wages and prices are, or soon will be, the major internal creasingly through the problem in every country in the provinces of Tonkin, Annam world, it is worth while looking Cochin-China, and the populating the Communist-Nationalist leader, Dr. at two important viewpoints re. Ho Chi-Minh, who declared war on cently disclosed in Britain. The France in December, 1946, has alists full satisfaction, especially if first, that of a special committee steadily declined, according to of the Trades Union Congress which is representative of the majority of British trade unions, -where the anti-French revolt broke | Any question of treating with Dr. agreement are regarded in Paris as is that of the workers. The second, that of Sir Stafford Cripps, Chancellor of the Exchequer, can be interpreted as the Government view.

The Trades Union Congress is quite clear about wages. It would be impracticable and undesirable to impose specific limits and restrictions on wage increases. Eviction of Chinese stallholders from the city mar-In other words there should be no pegging of wages, which should be left to the system of voluntary collective bargaining which has worked well so far, and Government should continue the cost of living subsidies.

Inflation, or the problem of keeping prices stable while there are shortages, should be dealt with by controlling prices and distribution of essential and scarce commodities, and restraining by taxation and the encourage- Quinta-will be evicted. ment of voluntary savings the pressure of money on other scarce commodities which are difficult to

Sir Stafford Cripps has taken the view that rising prices and wages are an acute danger which will inevitably result in uncontrolled and disastrous inflation. The true way to improve living standards, he claims, is so to increase productive efficiency that prices can be reduced while maintaining wage levels. Quite apart from the salutary internal effect this would have of making ed to offer for sale by Public adverse to the Government. wages more valuable in terms of Auction '(on account of whom goods, it is the only way in which it may concern) on Monday, tive position in world trade. of Hastings," of 220 Prices are of course the key, and taking the world as a whole there is no doubt that the general level is rising too fast and too far.

There can be little objection Boats, &c., &c., will be sold in to comparatively high prices pro- separate Lots on shore. viding the rise is more or less uniform and there is stabilisation at a practical level. It is the to 11/2 foot broad and 131/2 to 25 today is controlled by aliens." continued "up, and upness" which feet long, a lot of Sheathing is the worry particularly for Britain and Europe. Without prompt stabilisation of prices it is certain that a substantial part of the gives the following account of benefits of the Marshall Plan of a Fourth of July dinner at the aid for Europe will be wiped out mines in Callifornia:before the money is received. Britain has already had one cost- his customers, and 20 sat down. ly experience with the United or rather lay down, for our States loan-between negotiating dinner was spread on a level. it and last. July prices rose

against her by 28 per cent. The cost of raw materials and food is the prime determinant in most current price calculations. And the main fact is that almost without exception every item is rising, often at a hectic pace. In the case of Britain the authori- make it desirable to but a few). ties have struggled persistently to stabilise and even reduce Unfortunately, as an importer of most raw materials and a great deal of food, control has been largely outside the British sphere. Taking 1938 as 100 the price index number of food, drink and tobacco imports now stands at 239 and raw materials have climbed to the height of

As a manufacturing country Britain suffers from the inevit- flickering already; soon it will war were being spread by travelable time lag in closing the gap be at full danger. Production lers from Germany. the 12 months to November last, activity there is scope for a very endeavouring to counter the Board of Trade index of im- unless the major trading county the day,—Associated Press, port prices was 217 in Novem- tries can find means of co-operatber, 1946, and 259 in Novem ing. Without this it will be ber 1947, a rise of 42 points, very difficult to reach stability, The export index, on the other in Britain or anywhere else only 23 points from 207 to 240. together with rationing of essen-

and chaos. The red light is effort in the end.

## NEW PHASE IN INDO-CHINA

#### By Harold King

the long drawn-out attempts to re been increasing. establish peace in Indo-China.

Emperor have not had the speed) (Indo-Chinese Nationalist) indepen- case if an official agreement were dicted, but they appear to have pre- forming part of the French Union as Dai, who is now enjoying a rest at tion towards a state of affairs in stitution, which French interests and Indo-Chinese national aspirations can hope

to find common satisfaction. War weariness is spreading in-Cochin-China, and the popularity of liable reports from Indo-China

The military situation in the north as permanent.

Chinese

Paris, Jan. 22. jout-is reported to have greatly im- | Ho Chi Minh seems to be completely

The French Government is pre- mands, The negotiations with the ex pared to grant the fullest Vietnamese. This would definitely not be the results which certain quarters pre- dence compatible with Indo-China signed with the ex-Emperor, pared the ground for gradual evolu- defined under the French Con- his property at Cannes, south

#### Vexed Question

On the vexed question of allowing Cochin-China to link up with Tonkin and Annam in a Vietnamese Republic. the French Government would probably be prepared to give the Nationone or some party whose signature to any agreemeent could be regarded have already taken place.

Manila, Jan. 23.

kets under the City ordinance—the constitu-

tionality of which is challenged in the

Supreme Court by the Chinese—will continue

today following the peaceful termination of

the eviction of a total of 23 Chinese vendors

from Divisoria, largest of the Manila markets.

their withdrawal will be volun- on the Divisoria Chinese peti-

Supreme Court.

ship to Chinese vendors, but

emphasized that the Chinese

would abide by Philippine law

tween the two Governments.

the second largest mart— -similar petitions

(From the files of the

"China Mail")

John Smith has been instruct

Also, a quantity of Teak

Wood, 14 to 3 inches thick

Boards, some Copper Nails, and

Mr. S. S. Osgood, a painter

"It was given by Ramsay to

We had a cloth along the centre.

and scraps of mats and blankets

along the sides of this, on which

"Each man had a tin plate,

(water not being allowed on the

liquors were too plentiful to

"There was some lack of

gold-washers, and a cast iron

bake-kettle, and with the assist-

ance of two large soup tureens.

the numerous dishes were all

displayed. Each man had a 8-

the dinner, exclusive of wines

and meats, was 1,100 dollars."

gular case-knife.

and a tin pot for his liquor

table - champagne and other

we reclined in Oriental style.

Anchors, Guns, Kentledge, affected."

The return to Indo-China of the proved in favour of the French, but excluded. His doctrinal position and French High Commissioner, M. Emile this is to some extent offset by a other loyalties are, it is felt in Bollaert, after exhaustive talks with worsening of the position in the rich Paris, bound to lead him to regard the ex-Emperor of Annam, Bao Dai, food-supplying regions of Cochin- any agreement as purely temporary in Geneva, marks a new stage in China, where guerilla warfare has and opportunist, and as being merely a stepping stone to further de-

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France, where he is also having treatment by an eye specialist. But before any progress can be

made with the ex-Emperor, he must first of all regain representative status in Indo-China.

#### Time Needed

This will require time, and action the latter were represented by some. on the part of his partisans at home. Various demonstrations in his favour

While the prospects of an eventual hopeful, and the general effect French policy in Indo-China in the past two years has tended to re-establish French prestige, the diplomatic task facing the French is a de licate and subtle one. The ex-Emperor, by the very fact

of his greater moderation and fundamental friendliness towards France, has much better chances of getting more favourable terms from the French than Dr. Ho Chi Mish ever

But, at the same time, every time The negotiations reach a climax, the ex-Emperor tends to stiffen his con-

Two points on which the French Government is determined not to give way are those of an indepenvendors are slated for eviction stance in Manila is expected to tentation abroad, and on the right of shores, or, rather, our coasts in the unsettled conditions of today, the French Army to move freely in- 1588 and was most discourteously two legends may be responsible: this morning and it is believed hand down today the decision

tary. Upon termination of the tion for an injunction to stay der the French Union Constitution, heaven and the guns of English don Town-what fortunes he Divisoria evictions. Chinese in execution of the eviction order all members of the Union-Indo ships had sent the Spanish within you-oh lights of London already China included if an agreement is galleons to Davy Jones's Locker, Town!" have been rejected by the teached-are Frenchmen, and there. Elizabeth Tudor, otherwise Good The authorities are perturbed. fore have the right to attain any Queen Bess,' otherwise 'Gloria', What is to become of these peo-A Chinese Legation official official post or position in the Empire. said the eviction meant hardship to Chinese vendors but

#### Army Mobility

and hoped the incident would For similar constitutional reasons, went. Among many other things' transference of great numbers of not affect friendly relations be- they could not admit the principle she decreed that London was to people from London to the more that any army forming part of the grow no larger. Nevertheless it industrial areas of the Midlands With the evictions going on, French Union should be excluded grew and grew and now, nearly and the North. three-and-a-half centuries after it appeared that the long- from any part of the Union. the ishe died in 1603, London still per-

drafted plan for nationalization At Geneva, it is understood, of market stalls would be a suc- ex-Emperor urged that the Vietnam sists in growing. cess unless the final Supreme Republic should be represented inde-Court decision on the matter of pendently at the United Nations. This is a relatively new demand, constitutionality of the and is an example of the increase custer measure should prove of the stakes as the bargaining and despite the enthusiastic subse-

reaches its maturer state. While the ex-Emperor has French one Adolf Hitler, it is estimated A Manila Chronicle editorial, entitle "Case of the Market support, it is also believed in Paris (for want of an actual census) Britain can maintain her competi- the Teak-built Barque "Marquis Stalls," observes: "It is not that he has the support of the Unit- that London's population numbers thereabouts, as she lies at an- has resulted in the ouster of that he may be tempted to play off going strong and increasing chor in the Inner Harbour of Chinese from market stalls but one against the other during the com-

a law that applies to all aliens Meanwhile, it would be premature Her Stores, Sails. Rigging, in general. It is merely coinci- to expect any very rapid "solution" Masts and Yards, Chains and dence that Chinese are the most of the Indo-Chinese question. It has still to be proved that the ex-Emperor and Wales are crowded. A city "The basic principle behind can re-establish himself in Indothe nationalization plan is to China, and this is a process which, contribute to the stabilization in the best of circumstances, must war years by the destruction or

of the national economy, which take some time. damage 800,000 houses, of which There is talk in Paris officials cir- destruction and damage not cles of General Charles Mast, the not even nearly all has been had been "ugly rumours that Tunisia, replacing the present High for years to come. the Chinese ... would hold com- Commissioner for Indo-China, M. modities under their control Bollnert, but no official comment on known or knowable to all from flowing into the market this report is available,-Reuter, country, there is a steady and

London Town By Glanville Carew London, Jan. 9. | continuous trend towards London For thirty years before the from the Provinces. At bottom, Thirty-one more Chinese The Court of the First In- deat Indo-Chinese diplomatic repres Spanish Armada visited our apart from the present effect of

"Fix it, please! I'm told it has been insulting my intelli-

gence!"

Beggars Are Coming

By Dick Turner

-even rudely-received, and for "The streets of London are paved The French viewpoint is that un- fifteen years after the winds of with gold": "'O, lights of Lonotherwise 'The Virgin Queen' sat ple? Where can they be housed? Can London soon absorb them in She spent much of her time in industry? Even in this day of her 45 years' reign giving orders shortage of labour it seems doubtof one sort and another and it is ful. In the latest resort it may be recorded that as a rule, though that the only remedy, until the not always, what Elizabeth said times alter, will be wholesale

> Material difficulties would be enormous but even assuming it to be a practicable and effective move it would probably be so strenuously resisted if used on a large scale that the last state of things might well be worse than Today, despite Elizabeth's edict the first.

## Vagrancy

Yet, unless the additional and Stalls," observes: "It is not that he has the support of the Units that London's population funders increasing population can be abtons or discriminating legislation that the States, and it is not impossible more than ten millions and is still sorbed reasonably quickly it looks certain that a great number of even the best of its units—to say nothing of the weaker elements-Here is a city into which more than 10,000,000 of the total popu- must gradually but inevitably sink

lation (guess it at an outside of into a state of vagrancy. It is a long time since vagrancy became common in this country. The word itself was used officially whese housing accommodation 400 years ago in 1547. About that time, because of a general dislocation of the life of the country, it was reported that such a horde of beggars (vagrants) was The "Chronicle" said there former French Resident General in restored. Nor can it be restored Corporation was apprized of it and beadles were appointed to watch

> In the 18th century Blackstone the famous lawyer, referred to these people as "Such as wake on the night and sleep on the day and haunt customable taverns and alchouses and roustabout and no man not from whence they come

ne whither they go." The workless vagrant 'is not, essentially a beggar but may

casily become one. It was such pilgrimages of 4 swarms of homeless unemployed topical and by no means point-

'The beggars are coming to

## "THE AUTHORITY ON AUTHORITIES"

existing between their country SWAP NETS 2 FOR 1

By SHEPARD BARCLAY.

BARCLAY ON

### stances cause you to lead away from his contract. a guarded honour, or even that dishes to serve up in; but with Shock wash-basins, the pans of the

Washington, Jan. 22. Two months before Germany attacked Russia, the Nazi Attache in Moscow knew far less about Hitler's intentions than the British pronged iron work, and a re- Ambassador, according to secret German documents published by "I was told that the coat of the US State Department. The documents include a telegram dated April 24, 1941, from S. 8 4 the attache to his Berlin head- H. K 10 9 quarters saying that rumours of

and are bent on foiling the ef-

"We believe responsible Chi-

nese will disprove them by

their attitude and further ac-

tuations in relation to the case.

They have only to abide by the

verdict of the courts and by the

spirit of friendly relations

and ours."-United Press.

fectiveness of the ordinance."

between rises in raw materials is increasing in most countries. A "According to the Counsellor of prices and those of goods. This few surpluses, although small, are the Italian Embassy, the British is made clear by the trend of beginning to appear. At the pre- Ambassador predicts June 22 as the day of the outbreak of war. import and export prices over sent world level of productive May 20 is said by others. I am With the base year 1938 as 100, big and serious break in prices rumours which are manifestly able).

#### WAGE DROP

London, Jan. 28. hand, rose in the same period by Strict price and profit control, ship repair workers will have a play must have been correct too since Unless a prompt stop is put to tials may be necessary, but, as and one shilling hourly from aces were cashed. At two of the the end of March following the tables, East then laid down the beart nerable). can easily be a year of trouble conveniences" are well worth the abolition of payment by result A, which south suffed with the spade. What should ensue on this deal attackers, and tended bonus -- Reuter.

trick it otherwise would take, Such after the club A lead to the third London Town'." a situation can exist when you lead trick that South could well have four hammers a re-entry out of the de- clubs and wish to ruff two of them: clarer's hand or the dummy prema- that if South had any heart at all turely, or when it reduces by two the the defense could not be deprived of number of tricks the declarer can its trick with the A. So there could Anzio -eat

8. A 3 H. Q 7 5 4 3 D. 10 9 7 5 C. 6 5 W E D. A K J S. Q J 9 7 6 5 2 H. None D. Q 2 C. K 10 7 2

(Dealer: East, North-South vulner-

bidding, as it went exactly that way

at all three tables of a little in C. 2 Twenty thousand Mersey side dividual duplicate game. The early 2, the club K was scored; club 7 if West opens with 4-Diamonds? ... wounded .- Renter.

profied by the spade 3, the heart by the spade 5, the club to by the vagrants looking for places to lay You'd swap one trick for two any spade A, the heart 5 by the spade their heads and for work to do old time, wouldn't you? That's the 6 and the spade Q led to the K. Now in an already over-crowded city principle that can in rare circum- South had only spades left, so made which gave birth to the once

BRIDGE

10,000,000 People

quent support of her wishes by

So what is to be done?

was heavily reduced during

Inspite of such

At the third table, East made a less nursery jingle which (perhonour itself, though you can see different move after the first three turies; that so doing will definitely doom a tricks in the minors. He decided score by ruffing with the dummy's be little chance of loss by sacrificing the certain trick available with the spade K. He therefore led the Recalled J. Now the only way South could ruff a single club trick would be with the A. That would set up East's K. for a trick and also leave South losing club, setting the contract. It of Grimsby, Dr. A. J. Greaves; worked out just as East forceaw. who was awarded the George Would you have foreseen that play, Medal for her work among the

#### Tomorrow's Problem

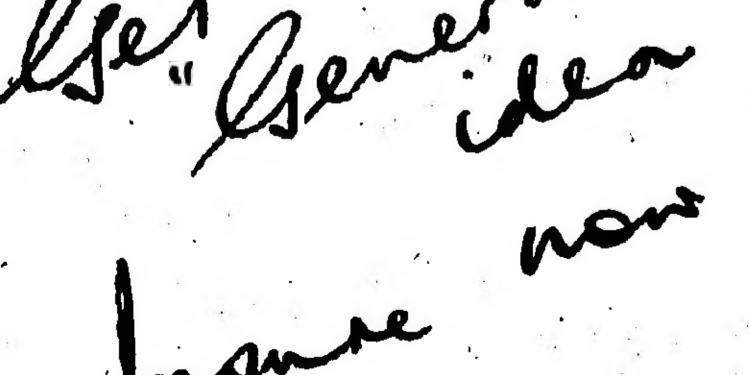
5.76 H. K Q 3 D. A 10 5 3 C. K 9 7 6 That must have been the correct D. K Q J9 W E H. A J 9 2 H. 8 7 5 D. 4 2

> C. A J 10 8 5 (Dealer: West, Nelther side vi

Grimsby, Jan. 22. Sheila Margaret Greaves, daughter of the Bishop wounded at Anzio, Italy, in 1944 is to marry Major Humphrey F. W. Fox, Royal Artillery, of Nutley, Sussex. Their engagement was and with nounced today.

As a nursing sister in the s main Queen Alexandra's Imperial minit Military Nursing Service, Miss dila Greaves was at the casualty clearing station and reception camp at Anzlo when enemy air you craft machinegunned and mailding hit the reception camp tents 200 stuents

yalds away she raced to the spot despite a second wave of



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ffice will close at 10.00 a.m. each day. Both Offices at 1st loor, Exchange Building. A limited number of tiffins will be obtainable at the Club buse, provided they are order in advance from the No. 1 Boy

and the Elbe.

"The time has come to find ways to give the smaller powers a chance tries, such as Norway, Denmark, to evolve under the umbrella of the France and Italy, would not be in with the Benelux countries. We are the smaller powers a chance tries, such as Norway, Denmark, to evolve under the umbrella of the France and Italy, would not be in and means to develop our relations with the Benelux countries. We are rel. 27818). REMISES DURING THE MEETING.

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> BY ORDER. S. A. BLEAP, Acis. Secretary.

## UNITED STATES OF EUROPE LOOMS IN NEW BEVIN PLAN

# Cooperation Of Western Seaboard Countries

## Blunt Comment On Russian Expansionism

London, Jan. 22.

Talks on a union of Western Europe have already begun. The countries immediately concerned are Britain, France, Holland, Belgium and Luxembourg.

"I would advise, in all solemnity,

ments which we, and I hope they,

sembly decisions of the United Na-

civil was or in any recognition of

"If we accept the Assembly deci-

"I say no more except this-that it is dangerous in international af-

sion in other matters, we should ac-

War Of Nerves

pressure brought upon weaker na-

attempts to settle international af-

On Egypt, Mr. Bevin said he

"All these steps, both in the Mid-

Under The Surface

brought to light vividly what must

done without the domination of one

dominate Europe by any one power

direct, you are driven to the con-

Unpalatable

Replying to questions by Com-

again to another world war.

arded by all of us."

common policy.

Referring to the war of nerves and

tions than by the promotion of

"It would be better to settle this?

fare auxious to avoid.

the Markos Junta.

Announcing this in the House of Commons tonight, Mr. Ernest Bevin, the Foreign. Secretary, urged that the overseas territories of these countries should be brought within this union so that "this tremendous cooperation would stretch through Europe, the Middle East and Africa to the Far East."

Italy and "other historic European countries" would have to be associated, he declared.

with France an important nucleus in is a case of power politics.

Before making this important dis- Government of Communist rebels closure, Mr. Bevin, warning Russia could be recognised later without that "it is dangerous in international danger. Then a Communist Governaffairs to play with fire", had said: ment would be forced upon Greece Nothing the Government does now and she would be incorporated in Union or, any other country, but we with the rest. organised kindred souls in the East," in Greece but a ruthless attempt, "I hope", he said, "that treaties constantly maintained, to being that will be signed with our near neigh- country into the Soviet orbit.

Western Europe. Turning to organisation in support flouted by the Balkan neighbours of of the Western Union, Mr. Bevin Greece, There is a very real danger said: "I would emphasise that I am that they and their Soviet mentors not concerned only with Europe as may make a great blunder in this a geographical conception. Europe business, has extended its influence throughout the world and we have to look great care. Provocations like lead sometimes to serious develop-

further afield. "In the first place, we turn our eves to Africa, where great responsibilities are shared by us with South Africa, France. Belgium and matter in accordance with the Asortugal, and equally to all overseas territories, especially in South East Asia, with which the Dutch are close-

"The Western organisation of Europe must be economically supported, That involves the closest possible cept it in the case of Greece. collaboration with the Commonwealth and overseas territories of not fairs to play with fire." (Applause) only the British but the French, Dutch, Belgian and Portuguese territories overseas.

"These territories are large primary producers and are capable tions, the Foreign Secretary said that of great development. They have raw materials, food and resources fairs by these methods made agreewhich can be turned to very great mutual advantage, both to the people Propaganda was not a contribution in the territory itself, to Europe, and to the settlement of international to the world as a whole."

#### No Need For Conflict

wanted to get away, from "this at-The Foreign Secretary said there mosphere of past disagreements" and was no need for conflict in this mat- was not without hope of being able ter with the other two great powers, to do so soon, "We may take a little the United States and Soviet Russia, time," he added. which have tremendous resources. "It is essential," he said, "if West- | dle East and in Western Europe, are | ern Europe is going to meet the in keeping with the United Nations. balance of payments and to get a When the ideological quarrel beworld equilibrium, that these re-tween the four powers is settled, and Congress in its work on the Mar- ment which reassembles next sources should be developed and it will be sooner or later, and promade available and the exchange vided the will to peace takes its Senator Arthur Vandenberg, the

two-day debate on foreign affairs, with the Charter in the end." since the war, he said the British ment, causing a resurgence, not of a I have heard from Europe. Government had looked upon the peaceful, but of a vengeful country. volution of Poland, reached at Yalta, as a "sensible compromise between conflicting elements", but there was no doubt that it had "revealed power to get Communist control

#### **Matters Little**

Eastern Europe and, as it now ap-

pears, in the West as well."

He went on: "It therefore mattern little how we temporise and maybe appease or try to make arrangements. "It has been quite clear, I think,"; that the Communist process goes ruthlessly on in each country.

"We have seen the game played out in Poland, Bulgaria, Hongary, more recently, in Rumania. From information in our possession, other attempts may be made elso-

"This issue is not simply the organisation of Poland or any other clusion that it will inevitably lead country, but the control of Eastern Europe by Soviet Russia, whose frontiers therefore have, in been advanced to Stettin,

with the Benelux countries. We are to begin talks with these countries in close concord with our French silies. Yesterday, our representatives those four powers proceeded to im- tacked and most of them would at the American brokerage firm in Brussels, The Hague and Luxembourg were instructed to propose such tem on the smaller states." talks in consultation with their

French colleagues." "In no case would there be an ex- munist members, Mr. Bevin said: "In ject of making the whole world ourselves and France that we would of a coordinated Anglo-American stated in the Shanghai High richer and safer," he declared, in have to look out for squalls if we declared the potential manufactured. dealing with the development overseas territories.

Not Satisfied

this tremendous expansion. "In Greece, it had been assumed dates when these troubles are going sided influence over Europe with selling and buying of telegraphic that the United States and Britain to take place and when these upoets out an organised and coordinated transfers and demand draftswould get tired and the so-called are likely to occur.

"This is rather unpalatable for me to have to do but the world will never get right unless they see the thing in all its nakedness."

The formation of a united Western Europe would have to be done one step at a time because they were attempt to build the unity of Westdealing with free nations. and must contain all the elements of

"If the present division of Europe bour Member, feared the organisacontinues, it will be by the will of tion of Western Europe on the basis
the Soviet Government, Such a diviof the Marshall Plan was part of a sion would be inconsistent with the wider policy of a return to power statements of the highest Soviet au- politics. thorities and of Marshal Stalin him-

#### Mr. Eden

Mr. Anthony Eden, for the Con- proportional representation to meet servatives, declared that the policy similarly elected delegates in Britain the Foreign Secretary had 'outlined to discuss this projected union, will be directed against the Soviet the Soviet system of Communism offered the best hope of restoring. He did not suggest that Britain European political stability and thus should reject the Marshall Plan, are entitled to organise kindred "It is not a question of what sort providing a basis for ensuring peace, but feared that it would be a disas-"Mr. Bevin's proposals are controus failure unless accompanied by tructive and a menace to no one, a different attitude to the Soviet while showing in unmistakable terms Union and other Eastern European for our own determination to main countries.

> "The United Nations have been that purpose." Eden continued. The first was the violence of Com- Mr. Vernon Bartlett, Independent

### bours, the Benelux countries, making "This is a dangerous situation, It tain our own way of life and to Mr. John L. Lawson, former Lajoin with like minded people for bour Secretary for War, hoped peo-

set Europe alight.

democracies might fail to rebuild -Reuter,

#### Women Prefer Cigarettes

Birmingham, Jan. 22.
Women prisoners in
Birmingham Gaol are passing up their recently
granted privilege of buying make-up. A prison report said recently that 99 of every 100 women prisoners preferred to spend their pocket money on cigarettes, instead.—United Press.

prosperity even with the aid of the

Marshall Plan. He warned the Government not to ern Europe on the basis of socialism. "It must be on terms of equality There must be room for all parties. **Power Politics** 

Mr. Zilliacus, the Leftsving La-

He asked the Government to consider inviting the Scandinavian countries, the Benelux Union and France to send delegates elected by

ple abroad realised that Mr. There were two very serious im Zilliacus spoke only for an insignimediate threats to peace, Mr. ficant number of people in this coun-

munist propaganda and action in urged the need to incorporate Westcountries like Greece, which might ern Germany in the new Western European union, No patriotic Ger-The second was that the Western man, he said, wanted a pupper state.

## New Orientation Of British Policy

Washington, Jan. 22. Mr. Bevin's speech was interpreted in Washington as involving a new orientation of British foreign policy of the first magnitude, bringing it into line with the Truman Doctrine of "containing" any Soviet attempts to dominate Europe.

ment difficult, if not impossible. Mr. Bevin's language, it was noted, was in fact stronger and blunter even than that used by American statesmen in the early days of the Truman Doctrine and the bitter exchanges which preceded the American decision to send aid to Greece and Turkey.

> delegate to the United Nations, Bidault, made no statement prethat it would "greatly encourage" serve his declaration for Parlia-

carried out between them in a correct place, all these things will fit into a Republican Chairman of the world pattern. They are all design- Senate Foreign Relations Com-Mr. Bevin, who was opening a ed on this regional basis to fit in mittee, called Mr. Bevin's statement "a terrific speech:"

and begun by saying that he realised On Germany, Mr. Bevin said the He described Mr. Bevin's refer- was that European politics have that decisions taken now would be British Government had always con- ences to the linking of the Benelux become impossible without Brivital to the future peace of the world, sidered that dismemberment would countries with Britain and France tain, the "Liberal Nieuwo Cour-Speaking of Russian expansion eventually start an irridentist move- as "one of the most hopeful things ant," said

publican foreign relief expert in operation of European countries, There was the agreement at said: "I think the United States lies in a stormy zone of world Potsdam to set up a Central Agency aid programmes will benefit from policy on the part of the Soviet leading to the evolution of a . new this dramatic indication of the Union to use every means in their German State on a new basis, But willingness of European countries in the Soviet Government started to cooperate among themselves." hurling accusations at the Western Mr. Bevin's appeal for an im-Allies instead of trying to evolve a portant nucleus in Western Europe could not have come at a better The Marshall programme had time in American opinion.

#### Baruch Proposal

have been under the surface all the Similar proposals by Mr. Dulles Mr. Bevin said: "No one disputes and Mr. Baruch are being widely Dimitrov, the Bulgarian Premier, the idea of European unity. That is discussed in Congressional and on a future Balkan Federation. not possible. The issue is, if Euro- diplomatic circles here in Washpean unity is achieved, can it be ington.

"The world will realise that if a Bevin's and involved an actual adding that "after a to political, economic and defence of balancing between the Soviet union, guaranteed by the United Union and the United States the Mr Walter Lippman, the "New Britain."-Reuter.

by whatever means, direct or in-York Herald Tribune" columnist, today strongly opposed the Western European pact as it tend to divide Europe rather than Mysberg S "I hope that the idea will be dis-. He said that it was British policy | He argued that certain coun-

but added: "We could not agree to the defence of any other of the four-power cooperation while one of 18 Marshall Plan nations if atpose its political and economic sys- therefore refuse to sign such a of Abis and Company last year

#### French Caution

was seen in Paris tonight as a sign year old manager of the concern, The British Foreign Minister's his retrial.

"My reply was that Great Britain the United States Government, last year for alleged violation of had been accustomed to threats and It was seen in responsible Paris the government emergency re-Referring to Russian expansion, he we would face them."

added: "Yet the evidence is that Later referring to the strikes in Boviet Russia is not satisfied with France, Mr. Bevin added: "We Western Allies did not propose to told the Court that the makes have information of simost precise allow the development of a one- business of the company was the efffort to maintain the balance. Reuter.

Mr John Foster Dulles, the | Official French circles were releading Republican foreign affairs luctant to comment. The French authority and the United States Foreign Minister, M. Georges halled significant" and forecast sumably because he wished to re-

#### Hague View

In The Hague, the reaction to Mr. Bevin's declaration of policy

Underlying the importance of Mr. Christian Herter, the Re. Mr. Bevin's statement on the cothe newspaper continued: "Europe politics and no European country

can defend itself alone." The talks at present being conducted are a "further step on the road towards a super-national unlfication of Europe, the present necessity of which has been proved

The Conservative "Trouw" call-

ed the proposal for a European union "striking" in view of the pronouncements by M. George The Catholic "De Maasbode" said Russia was building Eastern Mr. Baruch's proposal appears, Europe into a mighty political, however, to be further than Mr. coonomic and military bulwark, cconomic and military bulwark, moment of decision has come for

Shanghal, Jan. 23. The amount of currency found represented cash securities and was not used by the Company in transactions of buying and selling, Mr. Bevin's policy statement Mr. Frederick Mysberg, the 55-

of went on with the European recovery speech was presumed to have Mr. Mysberg, who was sentencbeen made after consultations with ed to one year's imprisonment

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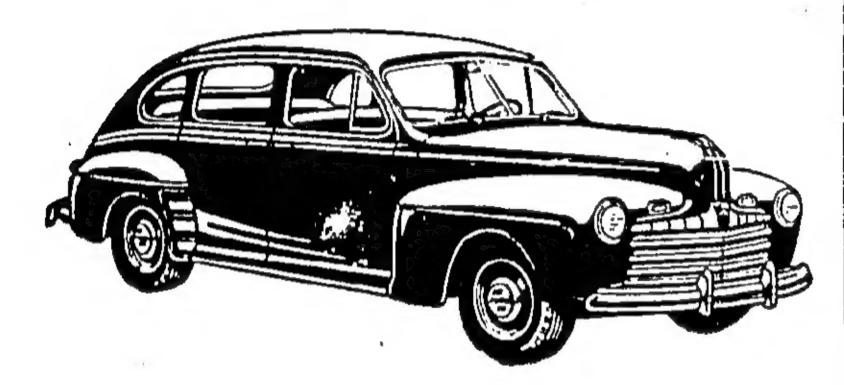
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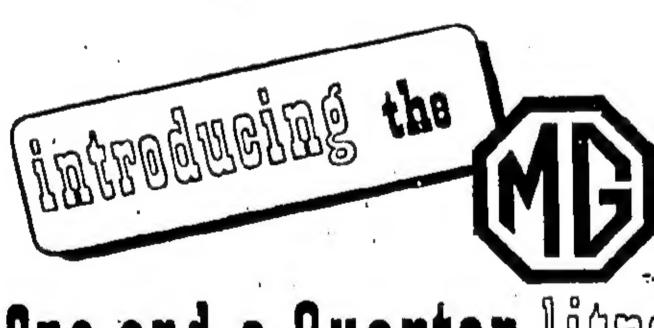
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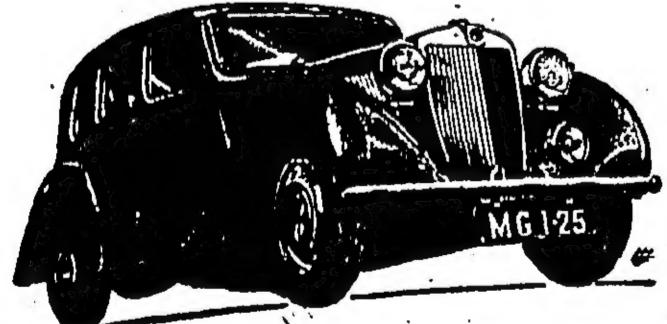
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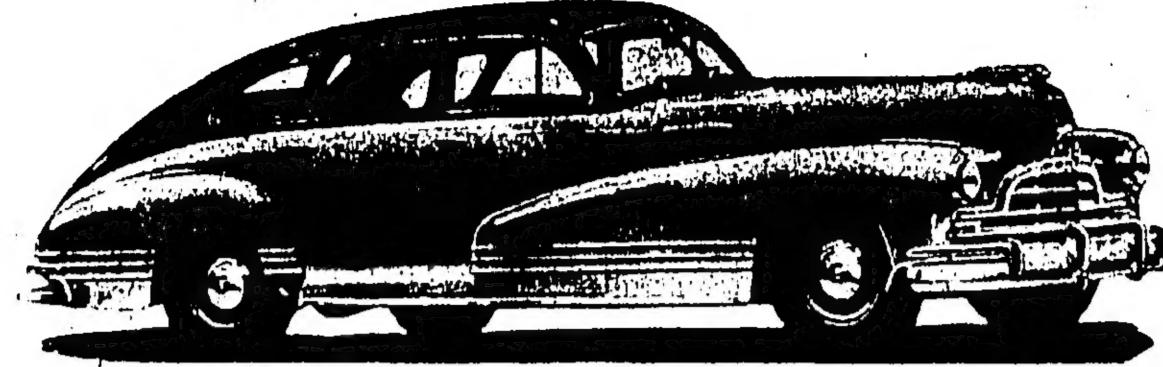
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# MOTORING NEWS AND VIEWS

# Pontiac Streamliner



by the "China Mail," course slightly slower than is the was almost inevitable case, say, with one of the popular therefore, that throughout, the run British sports models. one tended to make comparisons with its lighter European cousins, This was really fair to neither, of course, as each has been made with somewhat different ends in view. The first impression, naturally, was

one of Size. The Americans put much arger and toomier bodies on their cars for a very little increase in wheelbase, The Pontiac is quite big car even for an American vlinder, and it seems enormous after the British 10 and 12 h.p. models, The front, beach seat will accommodate three comfortably, for in stance, and the back four with a

slight signeeze.

Ahead of the V-windscreen is large, gleaming bonnet (hood) which spreads out almost at once to the a commendable absence of that bodymaximum width of the engine com- sway on fast corners which seems i partment. The model tested was fitted characteristic of American suspension with left hand drive and it was im- systems, Pomiae seemed to have got possible to see the offside wings over that trouble so often found with (fenders) or, indeed, more than an American cars-springs which case inch or two beyond the centre-line of out the bumps all right but tend to

A good view of the near-side wing bounding Maint feeling. This is acis provided, however, and, curiously complished by the use of Duffex rear enough, no difficulty with the offside springs which automatically com-"blind spot" avas experienced. It pensate for light and heavy loads might be useful to have one of those Another contributing factor is the wing indicator gadgets fitted if the hydraulic shock absorbers, which also car is to be manocuvred a lot in reduce body-sway. congested quarters, but otherwise the experienced driver should find nodifficulty in goaging the width of [fu], and require little pressure on the

Incidentally, there's a lot to be without fear of locking the wheels said for left-hand drive on the winds or wheel-tug. The handbrake, operating hill-roads of this Colony. For ed by the now familiar pistel-grip one thing, it removes the temptation under the facia, operates on the rearto encroach on the wrong side of the wheels only. More in the nature of road on corners. The antithesis of a parking brake than anything else, road-hogging is to be seen when two it will hold the ear firmly on the left-hand-drive cars approach such steepest hill (though the wise driver other-there's never any edging over will also leave his car in gear). the centre-line of the road!

#### Radio \*



and the British the dashboard (old) find that all controls fall neatly to more chromium plate than to be visible, and that a small arm-rest Booming found on the European counterpart has been provided just where it is and "Fortune" Magazine's quip wanted. about Sining before a Wurlitzer Also to his liking will be the non-organ springs irresistibly to mind, glare rear view mirror, which gives This impression was enhanced dur- no effective view of the road beng the test when the built-in radio- hind. On the model tested, it seemextremely powerful and of excellent ed to require over-frequent adjusttone-was switched on and a snappy ment, but this was probably somebit of accordeon playing was wafted thing the garage could clear up in a

Seriously, though, the Pontiac facia is an optional extra, as well as combination is quite attractive. As other light for spotting trouble at this was the de luxe model, it was night in the engine compartment. fitted with the special, steering This quite apart from a spot-light wheel, with T-shaped spokes; the and a back-up light, which is such aforementioned radio; a large clock; a useful attachment that it is a pity and Pontiac's "Venti-Heat" heater, manufacturers do not consider it av complete with its own control panel, essential a fixture as headlamps and This is thermostatically controlled incorporate it as standard. and provides fresh air and heat at To sum up, in the Pontiae, which

The speedameter, incidentally, is the motorist will find must of the calibrated in kilometres and touches features of the high-price bracket new cars. the 150 mark (931/4 miles an hour). marques, It is a car which can ! It is extremely doubtful if the driven fast and safely, or quietly and average driver will get more than smoothly at a low speed. It would a little over half-way up the dial, be difficult to beat it in its class for and it would be interesting to beauty, performance and comfort, speculate on whether or not higher readings (in figures, that is) reference to the "Data" panel provided by a k.p.h.-calibrated this page will show, 10 body styles

tendency to speed, After all, 64 kilometres an hour "feels" a great deal faster than its equivalent of 40 miles an hour!

#### Performance

Performance is all that is to be expected of a 103 brake horse-power 8-cylinder engine. Unless the car is seats enclosed by a transparent tinction, and even dowdy. brought to an almost dead stop, the domed hood, similar to that on It is thought that impressive average driver could leave it in top a fighter aircraft, made its de- and highly individualistic bodyand forget about the intermediate but at the 34th motor salon work styles exemplified by some gear-ratios. From a crawl in top, it which opened at the Grand Italian exhibits, set new stan-responds quickly to pressure on the Palais in Paris. The car is dards which will have to be

is the local motorist's lot. ing, and all but the steepest hills can dynamic form, and, with an en- be imported into New Zealand be taken at any speed in top, with gine of only 596 c.c., has a top this year under the new imthe engine responding quickly to speed of 75 m.p.h. The selling porting licensing reguations sudden calls on it for increased price has not yet been fixed, designed to help Britain to the speed. But the driver who is not but M. Dolo believes it will be utmost to overcome the dollar afraid of his gearbox and makes the about £250. afraid of his gearbox and makes the smooth change down into second will some representatives of Brifold that he can pass a slow-moving bus or truck quickly and safely—and under conditions impossible to the driver with the lower-powered at the salon. With few exceptions in the previous period.

#### Like all American cars, the Pontiac "Streamliner" 8- is fitted with a 3-speed synchromesh cylinder model is genthox swhich is dead silent except first of the for the faintest whine on first. The nost-war Ameri- steeling column gearshift falls easily to be to hand, and changes up and down given a thorough are smooth and easy, though of

Despite the size

of the car, steer-

ing proved aston-

ishingly light,

at low

Steering

and has a strong self-centring ac-

tion. This is particularly noticeable

over a roughish road surface; ther-

is a certain amount of wheel-kick

over "bumps" but this is only

momentary and the car keeps to its

Road-holding is excellent and with

give the passengers an "over the

The hydraulic brakes are power-

pedal. They can be stamped on hard

Comfort

jiffy. An outside rear-view mirror

On thing that

applies to the reas

line of travel without effort.

ENGINE:-6-cylinder sidevalve engine developing BHP, or 8-Cylinder side - valve developing 103 BHP; compression ratio. 6.5 (7.5 optional); counterweighted crankshaft: chrome nicket alloy pistons; full pressure lubrication: permanent precipitationtype, oil-cleaner; gusher valve cooling.

Data

TRANSMISSION: - Synchromesh, semi-automatic gearbox; single-disc 94-inch clutch: ball-release bearing; shift lever on steering column.

AXLES: - Front. link parallelogram-type, kneeaction. Rear, semi-floating hypoid.

FUEL SYSTEM:--Mechanical fuel pump; air cleaner and silencer; automatic choke: 17-gallon tank: manifold heat control.

Delco-Remy: fully automatic controls; 15-plate Delco battery; current and voltage regulator. SUSPENSION: - Front.

ELECTRICAL SYSTEM:—

suspension coil-type. Rear. "Duflex" variable rate leaf spring. Shock absorbers front and rear. BRAKES: - Multi-scaled.

Duo-Servo hydraulic; moulded linings; emergency brake works on rear wheels. STEERING:-Link paral-

lelogram control with worm and roller gear; 18-inch wheel, 19:1 ratio. DIMENSIONS: — (a) "Streamliner." 10 ft. 2 in.

all, (b) "Torpedo," 9 ft. 9 in. wheelbase, 17 ft. 0½ in. over-LOCAL REPRESENTA-

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wheelbase, 17 ft. 65 in. over-

## American Industry

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When the United States automobile industry balances its books for 1947, it will find itself in better shape (from its is by no means garish and the colours luggage compartment light and an- own standpoint) than at any time in its near half-century of

manufacture. It will find that its total output, close to 5,000,000 units. was well above normal; that it did a parts-and-accessories busi-ness topping US\$2,000,000,000; and that a minimum of two is in the medium range of car prices, years of capacity production; will not overtake the demand for

Although the aggregate out-put volume will be slightly under the record 1929 production of 5,358,000 units, the wholesale dollar volume and unfilled-order backlog will top anything since automobile making began, respeedometer contribute to lessening a and two series-the "Torpedo" and ports David Wilkie, of Associated Press.

## The New "Dolo"

A new French car, which has led out of date, lacking in diseven on the low-grade petrol which continues of that name

It comes in two engine-sizes, as

the "Streamliner."

craft engineer of that name. All normal driving, including pass- It is a two-seater, in aero- Some 9,000 British cars will

## Spot - News From The **Factories** At Home

#### FORD PILOT

An announced in this column last week, the Ford V-8 "Pilot" will now be available at Hame only with the 3.6-litre engine and not the 214-litre. Ford announce, however, that the price will remain unchanged at £585 (plus £163¼ purchase tax) for the saloon with cloth upholstery. When equipped with leather upholstery the total price is £755

#### BROWN LTD.

ket. Both marques have been an hour! taken over by the David Brown Tractors Group, of Huddersfield, The former will probably be a worthy successor to the famous pre-war 2-litre Aston, while the latter will be the long-awaited twin-cam 2.0-litre model.

#### THE MINX

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Figures given by the Austraand should soon be in production. Jian Government Statistical Office show the ratio of one motor vehicle for every 5.96 of population in South Australia. This means that South Australin still retains its lead as the most motorised State in the Commonwealth.

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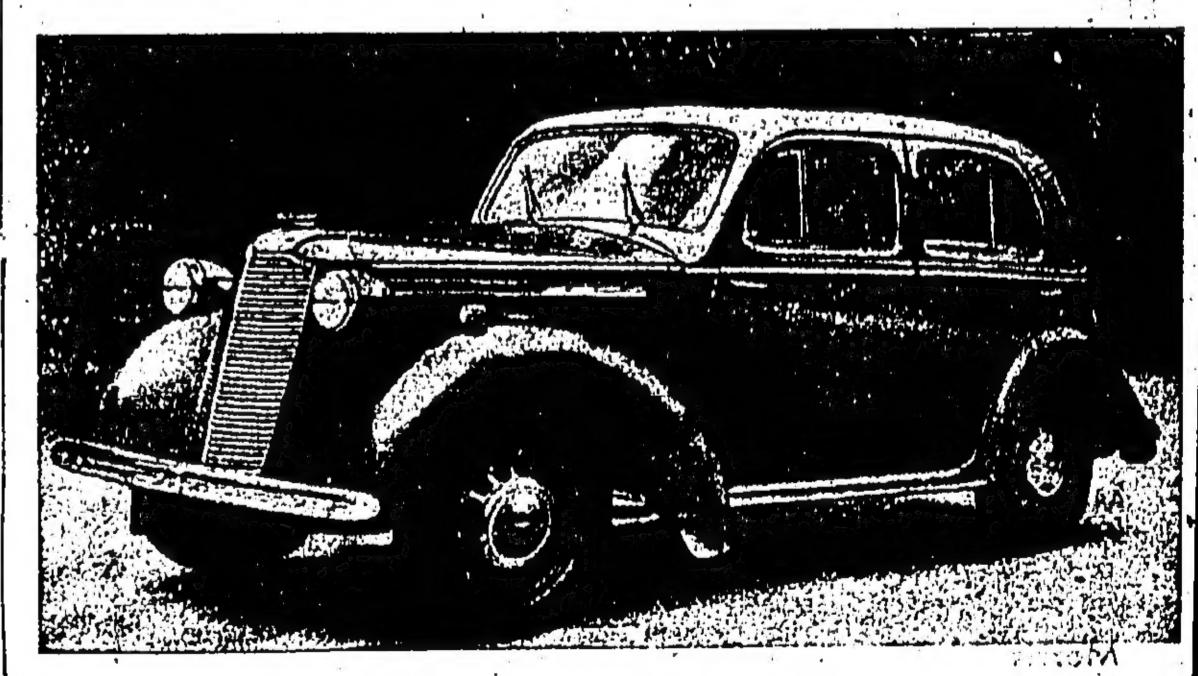


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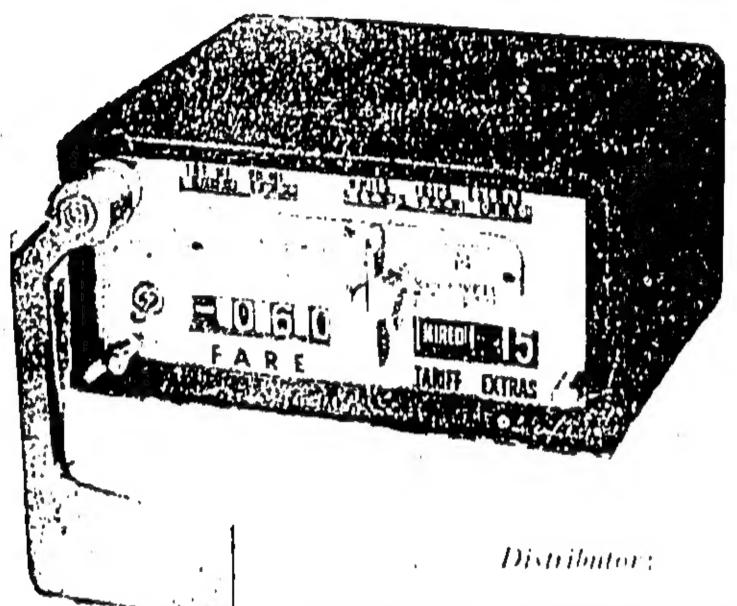
#### Death Sentences

Melbourne, Jan. 22.

Army headquarters said tonight that six former Japanese civilian guards had been sentenced to be hanged for beating. maltreating and torturing pri-soners of war at the Maoetsu camp near Tokyo. Another was sentenced to 46 years in prison.-Assoclated Press.

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## London Receives News

Baghdad, Jan. 22.
The Prime Minister of Iraq, Sayed Salem Jabr, now on his way home from Britain, where he signed the new 20-year Anglo-Iraqi treaty, has been summoned to Baghdad immediately, it was reported shortly after last night's announcement that Iraq did not intend to ratify the pact.

tatement from the Royal Palace said a meeting, headed by the Regent, Emir Abdul Illah, and the Crown Prince, had decided that the treaty did not realise the national aims of

The Iraqi Premier is expected of Iraq would, in fact, be in a one within three days. | position to give a binding comhome within three days. "The Regent promised that as mitment.

ment said. Also present at the meeting were Foreign Office,-Reuter. formed Premiers, the President of Parliament, Stnators, Elder states-

The Polace meeting came a few days after the demonstrations which had accurred to which had occurred in Baghdad against the treaty.

The trenty provides for close military and economic cooperation between the two countries in peace and war. It replaced the 1930 treaty and is for a period of 20 years with the right of renegotiation after 15 years,

In London, the Royal annauncement was received calmly in the Foreign Office in London last night.

Though officials were unwilling to comment on the development and expressed the view that there might be some misunderstanding, the basic influence on British opinion is the knowledge that if were slightly more than CN\$1,the revised treaty proves unac- 500,000 millions in November ceptable in Baghdad, the old compared with CN\$746,000 miltreaty of 1930 remains in farce lions in October. until 1952.

Consequently, it is still hoped that the explanation to be offered by the Iraqi treaty delegation when it reaches Baghdad may convince the critics that the reconvince the critics that the re-

At the same time, the constitutional position displayed by these latest developments is a curious

tentiary character of the Iraqi -United Press, delegation would not have been called in question, but since its conclusions have been challenged by the Palace and by a group of Elder statesmen, some doubts have been aroused in London whether any elected government

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# Income

Washington, Jan. 22. Senator Robert

long as the treaty is not ratified by Parliament, there shall be no ratification of any treaty that does not realise the country's rights and national demands", the state-

The entire question of Government spending for the 1949 fiscal year is up for study as 102-member joint legislative committee met to start overhauling President Truman's \$39,668,000,000 · budget prorosal.

Chairman John Taber of the China's exports for the month ted demanded a budget slash of of November showed a gain of up to \$5,000,000,000, and said almost 200 per cent in dollar this would enable Congress to (Chinese) value over October, according to the Chinese Mari approve the Knutsen bill and time Customs figures which also still pare \$4,800,000,000,revealed a drop of imports for the | 000 off the national debt .-United Press.

# November experts totalled more than CN\$1,500,000 millions com-

Dr. Tu Yung-tan, China's first Ambassador to Burma, revealed here last night that President The main importer of China Chiang Kai-shek had told him the products continued to be the key points of China's foreign CN\$335,0000 millions and India tension of assistance to enable them to attain freedom and independence.

Taft said he would favour the \$5,600,000,000 Knutson income tax cut .Government finances "will support

Taft and most Senate leaders withheld any rigid tax commitment, however, until they get

House Appropriations Commit-

Shanghal, Jun. 23.

The United States continued in The Chinese Ambassador de-Nevember to be the best seller to clared that his immediate proone, since it was assumed in Landon, that the strong Iraqi delegation was in a position to speak with authority.

Speak with authority.

Had the treaty been wrecked by Had the treaty been wrecked by Chinese in Chinese imports from India of November were valued at CN\$786,000 millions followed by import from India of November were valued at CN\$229,000 millions and commercial and social cooperation mass demonstrations, the plenipo- from Britain CN\$123,000 millions, between the peoples of Burma and China.-Reuter.

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"CANTON"		16th Feb
"DILWARA"	U.K.	27th Feb
"TREVAYLOR"	U.K. via Straits	28th Fol
"Tresillian"	U.K.	10th Mai
"TREVAYLOR"	Shanghal	11th March
	SAILINGS	***
SHIP	TO	BAILING
"EMPIRE BRENT		24th Jan
'CASTLEDORE"	Shanghai	9th Feb
"TREVETHOE"	Singapore, Penang,	,
	Port Said, Genoa,	
	London, Antwerp,	
	Rotterham	
va 4 i more	(Amsterdam)	16th Feb
"CANTON"	U.K. via Straits,	
4:	. Colombo and	
	Bombay U.K.	23rd Feb.
"DILWARA"	U.K.	29th Feb
"TREVAYLOR"	Shanghai	2nd Mar
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		ð.	Cochin		25th	Jan.

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"SANGOLA"	Calcutta via Straita Rangeon & Madras	20th Mar.

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Shanghai

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South Africa South America 5th March

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Vessel

Vessel

Date m.v. "ANDAMAN" s.s. "DONA AURORA"

Atlantic Coast Los Angeles

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& Los Angeles

Los Angeles

In Port 30th Jan. 16th Feb.

m.v. "DONA NATI" SAILINGS Date

26th Jan.

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## China's Economic Mission In Washington

Washington, Jan. 22.

Members of the Chinese mission, headed by Pei Tsu-yi, were entertained today by the Assistant Secretary of State for Economic Affairs can military commander in Ger-(Mr. Willard Thorpe).

sions with Americans, "on lower States Government intended to technical levels."

meeting had yet been planned world, but that he did not feel shipments and recommend an inbetween the Chinese representa- it should be made/part of the crease of rations.—United Press. tives and the Secretary of State.

Chinese sources said they had not yet been invited to aubmit any definite plans of their own and discussions so far had con sisted of their answering technical questions,

thing."

son) told the Senate Foreign of those arene" .-- United Press

The Chinese officials have Relations Committee that he The Chinese officials have Relations Committee that he situation as an excuse to foment also had two business discus- had "no doubt" the United discreter. advance a plan for aid to mend Congress to appropriate American sources said no China and other parts of the more money for increased food Marshall Plan at present under

consideration.

should be geographically limited," sald Mr. Patterson, "I Exchange ed, and properly so, with economic problems in other parts of Asked whether the Americans the world. But recovery of the even tenor of the market, and the were showing reluctance to en. Europe is sufficient responsibitertain Chinese ideas, the reply lity for any one agency. We fancles and no one counter has at any was, "Well, of course everyone recommended therefore, that aid time remained long in farmer. Closing has different ideas about every. for other areas be handled in separate legislation that can those at last week's close. Meanwhile, the former Secre. more adequately take into actary of War (Mr. Robert Patter. | count the distinctive conditions

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New) 5n. Vibro Piling 10b, 11sa. Maramus Investments 13/8m. Marsman (H.K.) 1.40b. Ewo Cottons 16% b, 17sa. Anglo Javas 414h. Rubber Trunts 4%b, 5s. Samagagas 155b. Tanah Merah 15, 1.50s.

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Piastres had a marketless day and were quoted nominal at \$11.371/2 a 100- in the morning and \$11.40 in the afternoon, intensity estimated at about 5,400 Chinese National Currency miles s. uthwest, possibly in the futures both opened and closed Tonga Islands of the South Seas at 33 cents for CN\$10,000. It was reported today by the Califluctuated between 3214 cts and fornia Institute of Technology. 33.5/8 cents in the course of first at 1407 GMT and the second the day... at 1416 GMT .- Associated Press.

Spot was quoted nominal at 37 cents.

Ticals eased off to \$26.40 a 100, and NEI Guilders also fell back to \$32.50 a 100 as against \$35.00 the previous day. U.S. dollars ensed off to \$4.941/2. Sterling, too, dropped to \$13.00. Australian pounds

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gloomy day with fregular movements

among industrials and this section was

Operators are appearing to walk for

the Chancellor of the Exchequer's broad

cast tomorrow night. Oil shares were

somewhat irregular with Anglo-Iranian

dull, following news of a hitch in the

Auglo-iraqi treaty, losing 8/16 to 9-3/16

Shell new and old shares closed steady

with some stock offered by Johannes

berg but local support made for recovery

with final prices occasionally above the

Argentine issues were dull, following

rumours of political differences in Huenot

Aires but there was no great selling.

British Console, 1946/75 ..... 80

Conversion Loss. 3 1/2; 1961 105-54

Funding Loan, 1968/90 ..... 112-34

War Loan, 3% ..... 102-14

Victory Bonds, 4% ....... 115. 1/2

Portland Cement Co. ..... 81/3

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I Angle-Iranian Co. ord. ..... 183/9

Trinkdad Lesseholds ...... 30/6

Shelt Transport ...... 4-5/32

Conversion Loan, 3%, 1948/53 101-13/32

Savings Bonds, 8%, 1955/65 ... 101-%

Savings Bonds, 3%, 1960/70 ... 101-%

Bavings Bonds, 35%, 1965/76 . . 99-%

Fixthequer Bonds, 1959 . . . . . 100-9/10

Redemption Stock, 5%, 1968/96 98-%

Japanese 50, 1007/47 ..... 34-1/4

Japanese 6%, 1924/59 ..... 34-16

Chartered Bank of I. A. & C. 11-7/10

H.K. & Shanghai Bank .... 131-14

Consolidated Goldfields ..... 67/6

Indian Copper ..... 4/10/2

New Union ...... 7/9

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De La Rue, ord ...... 48/-

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Sab. Brewerles ...... 169/4 1/2

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Mercantile Bank ..... 22

Consolidated Tin .....

Funding Loan, 3% ...... 191-76

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Venezuelan 011 ......... 125/71/2

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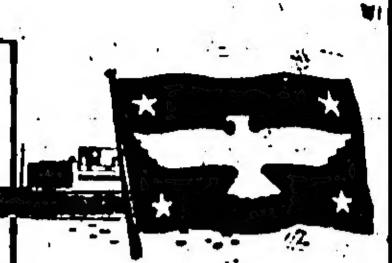
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"FENGTIEN"	Salgon 3 p.m. 28th Jan. * Spore, Batavia, Sourabaya
	& Macassar 7 a.m. 29th Jan.
"HUPEII"	Singapore 4 p.m. 29th Jan. Amoy, Foothow, Shanghal
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Telino (II, & S.) from Swittow, ... Cust. Glenartney (Jardine's) from London, via D.M. leabhashire ..... London E.Saug ..... Singapore Rendonhall (J.C.P.L.) from Atlantic Flying Dragon ..... Shanghal Jaroslavi ..... Vindvistock Molenkerk (J.C.P.L.) from Europe .... Pres, McKinley .... Sun Francisco Tweed linnk ...... Shanghat

ARRIVING TODAY Hal Lee (C.M.S.P.) ..... A5 Priam (B. & S.) from Europe . Feb. 2. DEPARTURES TODAY Empire Brent ..... Shanghai Smplre Park ..... Holhow Ifni Yang ..... Swater Trevaylor (P. & O.) from United King. Manila !

Parific Bear ..... San Francisco Shanchal & Korea VESSELS IN PORT Ulpur (Williamson) ..... Kin, Dk. Alpharat (J.C.P.L.) ...... Talkoo Dk

"barles Macdonnell (Everett's).. Cos Dk Cleverlock (Wheelock) .... S. Cutters Donarilla (II. & S.) ..... S.C. Castern Venture (Rymo B.S.) . . Yaumati Chiplic Brest (P & O.) ... K. Wht. Empire Bilds (M.O.T.) .... N. Pt. Qusy

Simplific Magple (Inrdine's) . . . Ysumati | Empire Tern (Williamson) .... Ysumati Emp. Wye (Jardine's) ......Kin, Dk. Lengthen all, & S. 'n Kwang (A.P.C.) ..... Port Offer Hat Hale (CMS,N.) . A. .... dad Tan (Dooglas Co.) . . . Co.'s Wht. Had Your (Donelles) have the Code Wht. iluldis (Wo Fat Shing) ..... 8.8. Po ! Him Your (H. & S) Hong Sang (Jardine's) ..... K. Dk Hawsen Bend (Everetti Him Same (Jardine's)

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f dann (B. & S.) ..... . Cust, Who inita (K. Larsten) ...... K. Dk. No Same Gardines ..... Cost, While Vu Chang (H. & S.) ..... S. Cutters Can Tal (China Mer.) ..... Co.'s Whf.

28th Jan.

2nd Feb.

8th Feb.

VESSELS DUE

AMERICAN PORTS (Pacific & Atlantic Coast) China Mail (A.M.L.) from U.S.A., Jan. 25 treadla Victory (A.P.L.) from San Francisco, ..... Feb. 26. lona Aurora (De La Rama) from At-Inntie Colat ..... Jan. 30. Dona Natti (De La Rama) from U.S.A. English Prince (Jardine) from New York, Late Feb.

Eurman Victory (A.P.L.) from San Francisco, ...... Feb. 28. Cylus Dragon (A.P.L.) from San Francisco. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Apr. 28, lertrude Mnersk (Jebsen) from New General Meige (A.P.L.) from San Fran-Solden West (U.S.L.) from U.S.A. .... Ports . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Feb. 3. tielse Maersk (Jebsen) from New York ... 14 Tegelberg (J.C.P.L.) to S. America

Louis McH. Howe (A.P.L.) from Ban Marine Leopard (A.P.L.) from San 21 Mount Rogers (A.P.L.) to San Francisco, ...... Mur. 6. Marchen Maerak (Jebsen) from New 22 Pres. Grant (A.P.L.) to San Fran-York ..... 26. Mount Davis (A.P.I.) from San Francis. 24 Marchen Maersk (Maersk Line) . New Mount Rogers (A.P.L.) from San Fran-

cisco. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Feb. 19. Ponce De Leon (Wallem) from U.E.A., 25 Pres. Taft (A.P.L.) to San Fran-'res, Grant (A.P.L.) from San Francis. 27 Marine Snapper (A.P.L.)... New ro ..... Feb. 20. Pres. Madison (A.P.L.) from San Franclare . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Feb. 10. 7

Pres. Taft (A.P.L.) from San Francisco, 28 Arradia Victory (A.P.L.) · · · · · · Fcb. 23. Philippine Bear (A.P.L.) from San Francisco ..... Yeb. I. Pres. Jefferson (A.P.L.) from San Fran- 30 Furman Victory (A.P.L.) to San cisco ..... Jan. 28. Pres. Polk (A.P.L.) from Ne wYork.... l'riam (B. & S.) from U.S., via Manile, Mar. End Jan.

Ruys (J.C.P.L.) from S. America ..... liutland Victory (A.P.L.) from San Francisco. ..... Mar. 25. Skidmore Victory (A.P.L.) from Ban Francisco. ..... Mar 18. Scott E. Land (A.P.L.) from Ban. Fran-Sir John Franklin (Pattison) from U.S.A. 10 Rurs (J.C.P.L.) to, B. America. Stag Hound (U.S.L.) from U.S.A., Feb. 8. Straat Scenda (J.C.P.L.) from S. Ameri-

Stiblingville (Bank Line) from Pacific Coast ..... Feb. 16 Telelgerg (J.C.P.L.) from S. America. Trein Maerak (Jabeen) from N.Y., Feb. Trade Wind (U.S.L.) from San Francisco, Apr. Willis Victory (A.P.L.) from Ban Franclaco. ..... Apr. 1. AUSTRALIAN

AND SOUTHERN PORTS coastal Champion (Ererett) from Sands- Mat. kan ...... Feb. 7. Caftrisian (Jardine) from Australia ... Nellore (E. & A.) from Australia ..... Nankin (P. & O.) from Australia ....

Andre-Lobon-(M.M.) from fl.K., Jan. 10. 25 Wier beete (Jaythey 44 Sandallas Andre-Lobon-(M.M.) from Florette

Canton (P. & O.) from U.K. . . Feb. 10. Singapore vla Bangkok: Ormara (P. & O.) from Shanghai .. At Dilwara (P. & O.) from U.R. .. Feb. 27 Jan. 28, Cathay Pacific, 12.30 Glenapp (Jardine's) from London, via Bues ..... Jan. 28.

> Ports ..... Late Feb. send) 4 p.m. Menalaus (B. & S.) from U.K. vin Strnita ..... Jun. 28 Nagara (Gilman) from U.K. ... Feb. 5. Wake, Guam, Shanghai): Rhezener (Jardine) from U.K., Jan. 20. Tamara (Gliman) from U.K. . . Mar. 15. Tantalus (B. & B.) from U.K. . . Jan. 30.

Tresillian (P. & O.) from U.K., Mar. 10. CHINESE & JAPANESE PORTS Swatow | Carrick Bend (Everett) from Shanghal . . .

Henneyla (Ben Line) from Europe ....

| Henringes (Ben Line) from U.K. ....

Early Mar.

Empire Witham (Jardine) from Yokoharna ..... Feb. 7. Advantus (H. & S.) ..... All Hupch (B. & S.) from Shanghal & Tientaln ..... Jan. 25. Mdrgonda (H. & 5.) ...... Talkoo Dk | Leonddakerk (J.C.P.L.) from Japan ... Amaranthus (Wheelock) ..... S.S. Po Ormara (P. & O.) from S'hal. Jan. 25. Annick (Wallem) ...... S.S. Po Ozarda (P. & O.) from S'hai .. Jan. 31. Manila:

Canon Ber (Carolt S.S.) ..... Yaumat: Trevaylor (P. & O.) from S'hal Mar. 11. p.m .. intherine (S.E. Asia) ...... Yaumati Van Heutes (J.C.P.L.) from Amoy .... Chi Hing (Chu Shing) . Mackle's Wht. Wing Sang (Jardine's) from Shanghal and Keeling ...... Jan. 25. San Francisco (via

SOUTH-EAST PORTS (Indo-China, Siam, Malaya, East Indies) Castledore (P. & O.) from Bombay, ...

Carrick Bend (Everett) from Manila. . . . Foo Chow (H. & S.) .... Al. Christer Salen (W. Hunt) from Shangbal, Empire Witham (Jardine) from S'hal. Golden West (A.P.L.) from Manila ... Feb. 42.

119 Heinrich Jessen (J.C.P.L.) from Singa-Mire .... Jan, 20. Kut Sanz (Jardine's) from Calcutta. , . Sangola (P. & O.) from Calcutta, Mar. 10 Skaube (W. Bunt) from Shanghal . . . .

Szechuen (B. & S.) from Bangkok .... Jan. 25. Tilbusar (J.C.P.L.) from Java . . Jan. 29. 2 Manahus (B. & S.) to Genon Tak Sang (Jardine) from Calcutta, Feb. 5. SOUTH AFRICAN PORTS Ruys (J.C.P.L.) from South African 9 Leopoldskerk (J.C.P.L.) to Europe. ports . . . . . . . . . . . . Jan. 29. Strant Soenda (J.C.P.L.) from S. Africa 16 Tamran (Gilman) to U.K.

ports ..... Feb. 4. SAILING SCHEDULES AMERICAN PORTS

(PACIFIC & ATLANTIC) 26 China Mail (A.M.L.) to U.S.A. Cibnolak (J.C.P.L.) ..... A Book 26 Andaman (De La Roma) to Atlantie Fencthery (J.C.P.L.) .... At 27 Clovis Victory (A.P.L.) to San Fran-28. Pres. Jefferson (A.P.L.) to San Francis

Vhangpu (B. & S.) ..... S. Cutters 20 Pres. Pock (A.P.L.) to New York. 26 Flying independent to Shanghal. Francisco and Los Angeles. 31 Jackson Victory (A.P.L.) to San 27 Straat Soenda (J.C.P.L.) to S'hal.

Late Jan. Donn Aniceta (De La Rama) 30 Wing Sang (Jardine) to Keelung 71 Tilbeant (J.C.P.L.) to Java. Ports.

1 Don Aurora (De La Rama) to 31 Hupeh (B. & S.) to Shanghai and 4 Hong Siang (Ho Hong Co.) to Sin-New Zealand Victory (Jardine's) to Feb. Los Angeles and San Francisco. 4 Indian Navigator (Dodwell) to New

6 Castleville (Bank Line) to U.S.A. 6 Mount Davis (A.P.L.) to New York. 7 Trade Wind (U.S.L.) to San Fran-8 Gertrude Maersk (Jebsen) to New York and San Francisco. S Prism (B. & S.) to U.S. via Manila and Shanghal.

Mount Davis (A.P.L.) Francisco. York ..... (A.P.L.) to San Fran-14 Linfield Victory (Jardine's) to San (yeka (Wallem) from U.S. and Atlantic 14 Luxembourg Victory (U.S.A.) to San

Francisco. via Madlia, Singapore, etc. buxembourg Victory (U.S.A.) from San 14 Gen. Maign (A.P.L.) to San Fran-16 Mindoro (De La Rama) to U.S.A.

Francisco, ...... Apr. 15. 21 Dona Natti (De La Rama) to U.S.A. York and Atlantic Ports. 24 Pres. Mckinley (A.P.L.) to San Francisco.

York and Havana via Singapore Colombo, Cochin, Bombey, Sues and Mediterranian Ports. Prancisco.

6 China Transport (Jardine) to Los Angeles and Ban Francisco. Francisco. Early Feb. Kyska (Wallem) to New York via Panama.

1 Pres. Grant (A.P.L.) to San Fran-I Furman Victory (A.P.L.) to . Ban Francisco. a Capital Victory (Jardine) to Ban Francisco.

Marine Leopard (A.P.L.) to San Francisco. Angeles and San Francisco. 18 Trien Maersk (Jebsen) to U.S.A. 18 Bkidmore Victory (A.P.L.) to San

25 Philippine Transport (Jardine's) 25 Rutland Victory (A.P.L.) to Ban Francisco. 22 Grete Maerak (Jobecti) to U.B.A. SOUTH AFRICAN PORTS

18 Templery (J.C.P.L.) to South African 10 Ruys (J.C.P.L.) to E. African port CANADIAN PORTS Rarly Lake Lilleset (Jardine's) to Van-

20 Lake Pennagh (Jardine's) to Van-(PERLEPPINGS & MEW CULKERY)

(Continued on Cole. 3 &

ARRIVALS FROM Poole via Bangkok: Jan. 25, BOAC (Capt. Rose) Jan. 25, Cathay Pacific, 2 p.m. Jan. 27. Cathay Pacific, 12.30

Jan. 24, BOAC (Capt. Town-Daily, CNAC (DC4), 10.45 a.m. San Francisco (via Bonolulu.

Jan. 29. Pan-American, 4.45 Francisco (via Honolulu. San Wake, Guam, Manila) Jan. 24, Pan-American, 12.45 Canton:

Daily, H.K. Airways, 10.50 a.m. and 5.20 p.m. DEPARTURES TO Peole via Bangkok: . Jan. 24, BOAC (Capt. Staples) Singapore via Bangkok:

Jan. 26, Cathay Pacific, 7 a.m. Jan. 30, Cathay Pacific, 7 a.m. Stration (Chin Seng Hong) ...... 1112 Sir John Franklin (Pattison) from Japan. Jan. 28, Cathay Pacific. 2,30 nitex 2 (Tevas Co.) ..... Taikoo Dk. Tilbeany (J.C.P.L.) from Japan, Jan. 29. Jan. 28, Cathay Pacific, 2,30

Daily, CNAC (DC4) 11.30 a.m. | Canton: Jan. 24, HK Airways (Capt. Manila, Sulgon: (Continued at foot of next Column) | Jan. 24. Air France, 7.30 a.m.

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Closing Times By Best and Train Canton, 7 a.m. Macao, Tsinshan and Shekki, S s.m. Manila P.I. 10 a.m. Swatow and Foodlow, Noon, Hatavia, Sourabaya and Macauser, Noon Shanghal, 1 pint. Swatow, 1.30 p.m. Canton, 2 p.m. Bangkok and Bombay, 5 p.m. Manila P.L. 3 p.m.

Macan, Tsinshan and Shekki, 4 p.m.

Guam, Wake, Honolulu): Jan. 26, Pan-American, 8 a.m. Jan. 24, Philippine Air Lines. San Francisco (via Slianghal, Okinawa, Guam, Wake, Honoiulu): Jan. 30, Pan-American 10 a.m.

Haiphong and Pakhol, 3 p.m.

Kongmoon, 4 p.m.

Canton, & p.m.

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30 Currick Bend (Evereus) to manning 31 Kafirleian (Jardine's) to Australia

2 Tunnen (B, & S.) to Sydney and 8 Trein Maersk (Jebsen) to Manila. 9 Stephound (U.S.L.) to Manila, 12 Leine Maerak (Jehsen) to Manila. BRITISH & EUROPEAN PORTS Jan.

29 Christian Sass (M.M.) to Europe, 31 Adrastus (B. & S.) to Liverpool. 8 Maincen (East Asiatie) to Europe. 15 Priam (B. & S.) to Europe,

16 Trevethor (P. & O.) to U.K. Szechuen (II. & S.) from Bangkok & 18 Nagara (Gilman) to U.K. Seigen. ...... Jan. 26. 20 Glenariney (Jurdine) to Europe. Tegeberg (J.C.P.L.) from South African 20 City of Khartoum (Ellerman) 25 Molenkerk (J.C.P.L.) to Europe,

29 Dilwara (P. & O.) to U.K. Early Mar. Alphorat (J.C.P.L.) to Europe. 2 Andre Lebon (M.M.) to Europe. 13 Trevaylor (P. & O.) to U.K. CHINESE PORTS

25 Han Yang (B. & S.) to Shanghal. 27 Hhi Hela (C.M.S.N.) to Shanghal, 29 Helikon (We Fat Sing) to Shanghai. 31 Tlisodane (J.C.P.I..) to Java Ports. and Shanghe!, 80 Prosper (Eversti) to Swatow.

Tlentsin. 3 Shengking (B. & S.) to Shenghal. 5 Tegelberg (J.C.P.L.) to Bhanghai. 9 Castledore (P. & O.) to Shanghal. 2 Trevnylor (P. & O.) to Shanghal.

(Continued From Cols. 3 & 4) 14 Tresillian (P. & O.) to Hanghai. JAPANESE PORTS 26 Flying Independent (Pattison) Yokohama. 27 Strant Seenda (J.C.P.L.) to Yokohams

S Yochow (B. & S.) to Kures. INDIAN PORTS 27 Omara (P. & O.) to Bombay via

9 Carrick Read (Everett) to Hombay, to Empire Witham (Jardine) to Calcutta. 3" Kut Sang (Jardine) to Calcutta. 9 Staghound to Manila. 20 Sangola (P. & O.) to Calcutta. SOUTH-EAST PORTS

(INDO-CHINA, SIAM, MALAYA. BAST INDIES) 25 Hin Sang (Jardine) to Sandakan and Penang. 28 Canton P. & O.) to United Kingdom, 26 San Ernesto (J. Manners) to Hal-20 Nan Chang (B. & S.) to Singapore. 26 Szo Chuen (B. & S.) to Bangkok and

26 Van Heutes (J.C.P.L.) to Singapore 29 Pengtien (B. & S.) to Singapore. 29 Ninghai (B. & S.) to Singapore and

30 Prosper (Everett) to Singapore. 30 Hai Chino (C.M.S.N.) to Singapore. 30 Kut Sang (Jardine) to Singapore. 31 Tilbeaur (J.C.P.L.) to Java. 2 Produce (Jebshun) to Hangkok.

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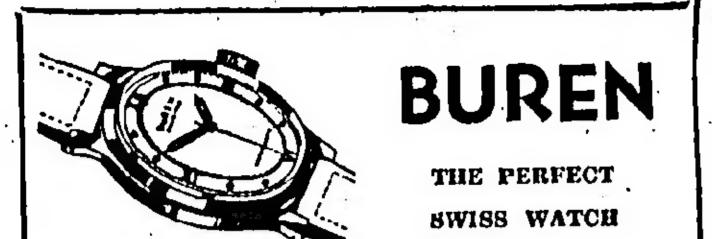
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Gonsalves is determined to make

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Recreio stars of yesteryes

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Wilfred Lawrence at the initial

station with Peewee Alves

second. Since Lou Vicira's thum

injury, Gerry Gosano has bed

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slot. Billy Scares, the onl

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has several ballhawks to call

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Directing Saints strates

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second, Benny Omar pluggis

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with Hal Winglee calling t

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Turn will be none other the

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and clutch-hitter Ramon Casti

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Tenth Race

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(Mr. Tung), I do not think there

position with Strathnamara (Mr. 1

Eleventh Race

Quarter Miles.

Carnival and among the ponies

ran a good fourth in the Tien-

tsin Stakes (First Section) over

sidered. Sidber started badly in

when police went to question a

When news of the shooting

was relayed to Scotland Yard

London, Jan. 28.

Shooting

All Out Stakes;-One And

is an animal entered good enough

led planes too good.

minting out the third position.

There are 41 events on the the late Mr. Pearce's ponics. In programme, the most unp ctant the absence of Ataman, the race of which is the Champion Stakes promis - to be a time office, as to Australian Ponies, this is only pony from this year's and Plac d Ponies at Subs, that can probably extend Race Meetings since Sept. 1, Not e Queen. However, we can be patient until they clash in the

The First Suddling Bell will be near biture. rung at 11.30 a.m. with the first which will be ridden by Mr. rnee starting at 12.00 n on Black, who the Jockey Club Handicap over the mile on the It is hoped that the weather hist day of the Carnival in 1.43.

will be fine and with the track 1 5, in view of that performance; still on the hard side there is it should win. Daisy Bell (Mr. every reason to anticipate that Necday should some in sec.nd the various events will be keenly with Shannon (Mr. Ostroumoff)' contested.

#### First Race

Hay and Corn Staires (First, Also Run States (Second Sec. Section): - Hall a Mcle. The programme opens with a In this tace for the second sec-Maint race for Australian Sub scripti h Ponic, of 1948. Weight ti n of non-winning subs, I shall 147 lbs. Winners, barred. Judge not be far wrong in stating that, and from performances durant the fouch will be fought out bethe three days of the Carmyal, I tween Anyway (Mr. Kwok), think the race should be decid. Aretic (Mr. C. L. Gregory), Deed between the following: -- sen Knight (Mr. Ostroumoff) Rentucky Moon (Mr S W. Tang s. and Trade Wind (Mr. Tung). Supporting (Mr. T.S. Le ng), Tel De err Knight came in third in poli (Mr. B. L. Tao) and Queen the H petul Stakes (Second Secof Hearts (Mr. VV. Needa), Instion) over the mile and on that Wongn ichong Stakes can I hancy it to win. Anyway (Second Section) over this this which was a head behind Panda tance, on the fire day of the in the Leighton Hill Stakes Carmyal, Kentucky Moon came, (Second Section) as dangerous second and will naturally constand shuld not be disregarded. mand strong support. Queen at l'Arctic was second in the Grand Hearts was third and should not [Stakes (First Section) and could be disregarded as this pony is at cause an upset. Trade Wind as home over this distance. Sapien an outsider is worth following. tia, second in the Valley Stakes) (First Section), may find the deal sance a bit too short for its liking | Pearce Memorial Cup; -One And I cannot see it wanting but; In this race I expect to see the may be placed. Tripoli, which was third, is well suited for the following facing the starter: distance and a win here would! Ataman (Mr. Brodie), Sorcerei

#### Second Race Consolution Stakes (First Sec. 1 the Hong Kong Derby, Sorcerer

n t be surprising.

In this race for the Second will in all probability suffer its Batch of 1948 Subs, that have n t won, weight 147 lbs., the likely winner should come from her pony now and may spring a one of the following: -Prince) Delight (Mr. Needa), Bickenhao (Mr. Hodgman), Big Sh t (Mr.) Tung) and Autumn Leaf (Mr.) Shieh). Prince Delight, judging from its run in the Trial Plate. should have no diff mity in "the 19cel Beckenham is the only . Section); -Half A Mile, ... unything to tuch it. Big Shot of Australian Subs. and from the cannot expect to do better than is third place, and Autumn Leaf Is a good as an outsider,

#### Third Race Hone Kong Handicap-One And I shald not be surprised to see

This event is confined to "B" Class Australian Ponics. After Shahin (Mr. Kwok) are also good its win in the P. & O. Cup over lover this distance and can be the Champion distance Fifth depended to give the above Alaem (Mr. Boycott) has been ponies a god fight. penalised by 15 lbs. Gligd as Fifth Alarm is, and in spite of the fact that it is in tip-top comdition. I doubt it can' win over this distance with 15 lbs. pennity. but it will probably the placed. Peggy will again be ridden by Mr. Tao, with 152 lbs, to carry, to extend this pony. Belle Fonand in view of the longer dis-! Rose Emme (Mr. Ostroumoff) is, of course, the danger, and I expeet to see it lighting out the Sunlight (Mr. Moller) Hope). ulso in the race, may provide an

#### Fourth Race

upset.

Also Ran Stakes .- (First Section):-Six Furlongs. In this race, Pearl Diver (Mr. entered that K.F. Chlu) will have an oppor- undoubtedly the best:-Fluke tunity to score a win after its Shot (Mr. Tung), Pacific (Mr. performance in the Chater Cup S.W. Tang). Kwong Ming (M when it came in second to Blue K.F. Chiu) and Sidber (Mr. Os-Carnival. There is Blue Sky ably a little better than the (Mr. Kwok) to be considered and others in view of its third plac- pled on. if given a runaway start, will ing in the Racing Stakes (First give Pearl Diver a good run for Section) over the mile, but Pacithe first position. Harvard (Mr. fic has been making gradual Shieh) and Amigo (Mr. Tao) improvement and may create a should fight out the third place. surprise. . Kwong Ming which

#### Fifth Race

Hay and Corn Stakes,- (Second the two mile post must be con-Section) :- Half A Mile, should be prominent at the finish. It should be waiched in view of the opposition, it should not be fully extended, except perhaps, by Constant Star (Mr. Needa). Domino (Mr. Os-(Mr. Needn). Domino (Mr. Ostroumoff) should be placed and Windermere (Mr. Yuen) may be Windermere (Mr. Yuen) may be Paddington

#### Sixth Race Champion Stakes: - One And A

Quarter Miles. This is the main event of the good deal of interest due as the 1948 Heng Kong Derby Winner, Ataman, will not appear I understand because its stable connect in Upper Montague Street tions are reserving it for " eight race, the Pearce Memorial man living there. Cup, in order to win the cup from its inception for the sake of Mr. N. Tiukakin, trainer of Ataman, who was an old trainer of

## Selections For Today

(By "Rapier") Ruce No. 1. KENTUCKY MOON SAPIENTLA TRIPOLI

Outsider: Queen of Hearts. Race No. 2. PRINCE DELIGHT

BECKENHAM RIG SHOT Outsider: -Autumn Leaf.

Race No. 3. PEGGY ROSE EMME FIFTH ALARM

Outsider: -Sunlight. Race No. 4. PEARL DIEER BLUE SKY

HARPARD Outrider: - Amiga. Race No. 5. RIFLE

CONSTANT STAR DOMINOOutsider: - Windermere.

Race No. 6. NORSE QUEEN DAISY RELL SHANNON Outsider: - Snokunfots.

Race No. 7. ANYWHY DESERT KNIGHT ARCTIC Outsider: Trade Wind.

Race No. 8. ATAMAN SORCERER NORSE PRINCESS

Outsider: - Dominion Day. Race No. 9. ARIJNGTON DING HOW SHAIIIN

Outsider: - Flying Jih. Race No. 10. LANABELLE FONTAINE INGRID

Outsider :- Strathnamara Race No. 11, FLUKE SHOT PACIFIC KIPONG MING Outsider: -Sidber.

#### judging from its last win in the leargas surprise. Dominion Day will 's probably find the above mention-

Florence, Jan. 23. Seventeen people were the Wongneichong Stakes (First taken to hospital when the top of his pad but then collected Section), has the best recomment the (Yuen) can move fairly fast and tear-gas and linto the air to disperse Flying Jib (Mr. S.W. Lee) and unemployed

The Florence Chamber of strike in the city to begin at midnight.

The demonstrators threw hand-grenade under a police car More or less a gift for Lana but nobody was injured.

Demanding work, the crowds paraded the streets, and, taine (Mr. R.K.C. Chui) should clashes with the police, 11 were second position with Ingrid (Mr. | cheon charges against the de-Chanson) fighting out the third monstrators.

Armoured cars were sent out against vast crowds of undemonstrators employed Milan, 256 kilometres to north, when thousands of de-

the following are of the Prefecture. thoroughfares. In a scuffle, confident appeal for leg before. one policeman was severely in-Ribbon on the second day of the troum: (1). Fluke Shot is prob- jured with a revolver and another was manhandled and tram-

The police spread barbed wire and hit seven fours. in the streets.—Reuter.

#### FANLING GOLF

omorrow:-This is another sprint event in the Wongneichong Stakes (Third Mullen, 9.28 J. A. Blackwoodwhich Rifle (Mr. K.F. Chiu) Section) and was never in the A. J. Tippin, 9.32 J. G. Cotes and Hassett took runs at will, Brad-B. Tighe, 9.52 G.G.D. Carter-N. A. Brown, 9.56 S. H. Dodwell-H. H. Mundy, 10.00 Roberts-Hunter - Moodie-Dunnett, 10.04 Anderson-Behrman -Hadland-Reid; 10.08 W. G. A man named Philip De- Robertson D. L. Prophet, 10.12 day, but it will be robbed of a vereaux, has died in a hospital E. H. Sainsbury-W. A. Blairin Paddington, having been shot Kerr, 10.16 E. B McBain-T. D. ouring an incident in a house Drysdale.

#### PRINCESS' GIFT **PARCELS**

London, Jan. 28: Princess Elizabeth at Buckingradio cars were sent to patrol the district. They were search ham Place today watched the

## Highbury Cup Tie Drama



Ian McPherson, Arsenal's outside-left, has his attempt on the Bradford goal stopped by Tommy Farr, Bradford's goalkeeper, after dribbling the ball the whole length of the field. Two of the Bradford defenders are seen on the ground at right during the Cup tie at Highbury on Jan. 10 .- (A.P. Photo).

## RECORD ANOTHER BRADMAN Davis Cup

AUSTRALIA—IST INNS.

BOWLING

Bye one, leg-byes 5, on-ball 1

LAND FORCES

SOCCER

For their match against St.

Joseph's tomorrow on the Cause-

Wyborn, Lyons, Usherwood,

**CERDAN'S NEXT** 

FIGHT .

Marcel Cerdan, the French and

Vince Hawkins, the British cham-

light in London on January 26.

Palais des Sports, Paris, for

Murphy's manager said he had

received a good offer from the

TODAY'S HOCKEY

The following will represent the

London, Jan. 23.

R. A. F. and Land Forces:-

Paris, Jan. 23.

Total (for 3) ...... 37

Adelaide, Jan. 23. Australia had scored 370 for 3 wickets at the close of play in the Fourth Test today. Don Bradman, the Aussie skipper, made 201 of the runs, for his 37th double century and a new world

Scores:

Miller, not out

Phadkar met with success in his utes. Then Bradman, trying to hit second over after Morris had glanced Hazare for six, dragged the ball on Thim beautifully for four. In at- to the stumps. tempting to force the fourth delivery down on to his stumps and the first Morris, b Phadkar ...... 7 made between Februar 1 and wicket wicket fell at 20.

Bradman came in and was off with Bradman, b Hazare . ........ 201 All challenges received to his usual single from the last ball of Hassett, not out . ....... the over. Bradman in attempting a pull played his first hall hard on to two from a late cut. Rangachari kept a steady length,

Bradman playing every ball of one over watchfully. Barnes batted with Phadkar ...... supreme confidence and a four off a Armanath ....... square cut from Phadkar was his Rangachari ........ 18 fourth boundary in 18 runs. It was a triumph for India's out-Sarwate

morning session to 61 runs. was 31 and Bradman 20 at this time, Phadkar .- Reuter. Bradman having batted for 76 After the interval, the batting con-

tinued to be slow, apart from a four to extra cover by Bradman with a after drive off Mankad.

Both Bradman and Barnes were way Bay ground, kick-off 2.30 tance I think it ought to win. have no difficulty in taking the arrested. The police made trun- kept mainly on the defensive though p.m. H.Q. Land Forces, make a Bradman was seeing the ball well number of team changes from enter will be decided at a meetand on-drove Rangachari for three. the team that beat Royal En-Bradman brought up 100 in 125 gincers 3-1 on Thursday. minutes with a push to the on for a team is:single off Mankad and Bradman reached his 50 with a stolen single Martin, Brown, Hamblett, Baulch, Harrison, when he off-drove Sarwate.

This is the final event of the monstrators broke through fully the scoring and he stepped back to armed police cordons in front pull Mankad for four. Barnes glanced Mankad for three to reach Traffle was blocked in many his 50 and immediately survived a Bradman reached his century first

glancing Hazare for four. This was European middle-weight boxing his seventh three figure innings of champion, will probably fight Hos the season and his third in successive Murphy, New Zealand middleinnings. He had batted 191 minutes weight in Paris if Murphy beats The fifth 50 of the lonings took | plon, in the British Empire titl

only 38 minutes and the sting had been taken from the Indian attack. Mankad's reward came in his 23rd Fanling starting final for over when Barnes, attempting to Murphy versus Cerdan fight in force a shot to the on, was out leg February.-Reuter. 9.24 D. S. Robb-E. T. Mc- before wicket with 112 to his credit. Against a tired attack, Bradman

#### TEST Bridgetown, Barbados, (R.A.F.), Jordan (R.A.F.), Lowe

Jan. 23. dismissed for 296 in their first ner (R.A.F.), Mickey (R.A.F.). from the Rest of the Colony, a game | All members are asked to pay at too, have not yet chalked innings in the first cricket Test match which continued here today, and England, in reply, had scored 150, for three wickets by the close of play.—Router.

Lordon, Jan. 23. ing for another man. He had packing of food parcels which In a Rugby Union match to March 8.

New York, Jan. 22. The Davis Cup Management Bradman won the toss and Austra- | hundred took 79 minutes. He and Committee announced here to- C. Cadre v Chinese (H. Valley "I", Hassett added a hundred in 55 min. day that 22 nations have filed entries for the 1948 Davis Cup competition.

Entries will close on January 31 and the official draw will be Barnes, I.b.w., h Mankad ...... 112 February 10.

> date have come from the Europ can Zone, with the exception of Eastern v Police (C. Hill, 4 p.m.) and even Lou Vieira despite h Mexico will compete in the

American Zone, it was added. Last year, 20 nations challenged in the Europan . Zone K.M. Bus (Bye). and two in the American Zone. List of challengers to date:

European Zone:-Argenting, Belgium, Brazil, Czechoslovakia, Denmark, Egypt, France, Great Britain, Hungary, India, Italy, Luxembourng, The Netherlands, Portugal, Rumania, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey and Yugoslavia.

American: Zone:-Mexico. Whether Australia, who lost to the United States in the challenge round last year, will again ing of the Australian Lawn Tennis officials on January 27.

has cabled the Ausralian Lawn; year in the American Zone:

The entries of Canada, who announced yesterday they would compete in the American A. Kayler, Peres, Ericksen, C. San-Zone and Ireland in the Europe tos, Garcia, A. Santos and N. Zone, are expected.—Reuter.

## RECS CLASH WITH SAINTS (By "Grandstand") An age-old feud-one that began ever since soft-

ball was played locally-will be revived this week as the Rambling Recs cross bats with the Slugging Saints at 11.15 a.m. tomorrow at the C.B.A. battle-ground. Players have come and gone ing on the outcome of this

with the passing years but none | fracas, is merely incidental. of the bitterness between these The Recreio credo has always two outfits has diminished in been to squeeze in a run and the the least, and perennial fars protect that lead, whereas the will say that there never was, Joltin' Joeys scorn such lacy, nor will there ever be, any pants tactics and believe un diamond duel to surpass a blasting the apple to distant Recreio-Saint dog-fight. The places. Do not for moment rivalry is so great that the fact | think that the Recs are weak that both sides are racing neck sisters at the plate, for right of to neck; with the pennant hing- the heels of Slugging. State

The following is this week-ends soccer programme:-

Today FIRST DIVISION South China v Navy (C. Hill, + p.m. Referee: A. Guest. Linesmen: C. sent and his upshoots might foc Redman and A.M. Lee. Buffs v St. Joseph's (Navy, 4 p.m.) | leather sluggers, Tooing the rut Referee: J. Havelaur. Linesmen: ber for Stan Leonard's men wi-Y.F. Mak and P.P. Li.

Club v Innisks (Sookunpoo, + p.m.) Referce: A. Brogan. Lineamen: L. Harris and S.Y. Kwok. Chinese A.A. v Kwong Wah (Police, caught up with the Saints' slug 4 p.m.) Referee: J.G. Padley. ging tempo and is mighty use Lineamen: P.M. Xavier and M. ful with the stick.

SECOND DIVISION "A" H.Q.L.F. v St. Joseph's (Navy, 2.30) p.m.) Referee: H. Bilaby. K.M. Bus v R.A.O.C. (Police 2.30 p.m.) Referre: J.F. Silva. SECOND DIVISION "B"

Electric v Sing Tao (H. Valley "I", 2.30 p.m.) Referee: A.F. Willias. R.A.M.C. v South China (C. Hill, 2.30 p.m.) Referee: J. Day. R.E.M.E. v R.A.S.C. (Snokunpoo,

#### 2.30 p.m.) Referee: J. Crawford. Tomorrow

FIRST DIVISION 25th R.A. v Kit Chee (Scokunpoo, 4 p.m.) Referee: F.H. Bullock, Pereira the "govoon-crooner Linesmen: Ribeiro and C.K. Woo. Ernie Ribeiro, Reggie Soare Referce: W. Claffney, Linesmen: H. Delgado and P. George.

finger injury. Lou's battin Sing Tao v R.A.F. (Club, 4 p.m.) Referee: L.G. Young, Lineamen: S.M. Lui and Sgt. Manson. SECOND DIVISION "A"

Kit Chee v Police (Sookunpoo, 2.30) p.m.) Referee: A. Leck. South China v Taikoo (C. Hill, 2.10 infield" in the line-up. p.m.) Referee: Y.T. Leung. Eastern v Dockyard (Navy, 4 p.m. Referee: SMI Easton. Navy v W.D. Chinese (Navy, 2.)

p.m.) Referec: RSM Ewin. SECOND DIVISION "B" Club v Signals (Club, 2.30 p.m.) Referees A. Farmer.

#### ST. JOSEPH'S TEAMS.

St. Joseph's Foctball teams. The following are St. Joseph's The Davis Cup Committee football teams for today:-First Division v Buffs, Navy ground, 4p.m.; - MacD:ugall; Go-Tolladay, Wright, Tennis Association expressing sano and Leonard; Rumjahn, Bradman was now monopolising Rogers. Reserves:-Bentley, Rock. the hope that Australia would A. Xavier, G.Soares, and Manson; decide to compete again this Xavier, Percira, Rocha, Toledo, Games and Omar. Second Division v Land Forces, Navy ground, 2.30p.m.: - Jones, Noronha Roza-Pereira; C. Castilho,

## GOOD RUGGER AT VALLEY TO-DAY

(By "Crums") Last week saw the final games in this season's most successful Quadrangular Rugger Tournament, and by virtue of their pointless draw against the Army, the Club emerged as worthy winners.

Briesley (R.A.F.), Payne (Land Club ...... 4 1 1 50 Forces); Gny (R:A.F.), Hills Navy ..... 4 2 0 04 17 (Land Firees), Cpl. Allard R.A.F. & Police 0 0

(Land Forces), Erwin (Land Today the Club are playing on The West Indies team was Ferces), Connolly (R.A.F.), Skin- their own ground a team, selected with the exception of Smallcet football seen in the Colony so be put towards the Rugby Interport bottom nickel that they'll be o

C'uh are playing right on top of At 3.15 the Club "A" XV will Mahmoud El Karim, of the their form at the moment and their opposing H.M.S. London.

Gezira Sporting, Club, Cairo, will back are improving in each match the following is the Club team defend his recently won. British though they will have their work out against London on Club ground.

Lansdowno Club, London, on today. prietors, The Newspaper Roterprise, priested to 16 to the Club whose team has now been Blater, N. Walt, Gauntlett, C. G. used to run the Baby Panther lighted, by Walter, James Krares, John R. Clark, used to run the Baby Panther selected to make the trip to Shanghai Brown, E. J. Brown, E. J.

The final table reads, as follows:- | team:-P.S. Ingham (captain); A.W. Secretary requesting a natisf Strachan, F. Cessford, T.O. Morgan, tory explanation of their failu W. L. Dr. Fer Against J. Taylor; J.R. Henderson, F.J.D. to turn out against the Poli Clemo; N.I. Meffam, D.J.L. Mc-Whirter, H.D.G. Forsgate, I.V. Carrell, R.P. Oliver, J. Small, T. Bowman, G.B. Godfrey. All these will be seen out today !.

squash rackets title at the 1947-48 out to hold their opposite numbers at 3.15 p.m. today;—
The following is the Ciub team countries at no Ciub ground p.m. There's a popular outfill championchip which begins at the out to hold their opposite numbers at 3.15 p.m. today;—
The Madeaps Aces, have in March 8. This match will be of great value Mackie, Robertson, J. Tinson, N. Azedo for their Aces, Colon Entries will be restricted to 16 to the Club whose team has now been Blater, N. Walt, Cauntiett, C. G. Hand to ware the Balletter.

Ladies Game Earlier in the week there w some doubt as to whether Rovers would make an pearance against the Filipin in their scheduled fixture 2.80 a.m. at the C.B.A. lot, a it is understood that as a rest The following is the Interport of a strong letter by the Hd

> there with a full nide when the meet the formidable Wilder to-morrow afternoon at 1 21

last week, the Rovers have pa mised faith felly to fulfil the obligations in future. . The Ludies League ! colle dwellers are the Bees and the which should produce some of the the gate today and the takings will their first win but I can bet n